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VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SATURDAY, JULY 9, 1949

## WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Clear, light winds.  
Little change in temperature.  
High Today—80.  
Sunshine Yesterday—13 hours 54 minutes.

TWENTY-TWO PAGES

## Japanese Reds Storm Plant At Hiroshima

### Unemployed Men Protest Move To Use Building as Reparations

TOKIO, July 9 (Saturday) (INS).—New violence broke out today in Japan's Communist-led "Summer labor offensive" when 350 unemployed men stormed into the shut-down Japan Steel Company plant at Hiroshima.

The rioters tore down signs which announced to the public that the plant was to be dismantled and shipped out of the country as part of Japan's war reparations.

Just three weeks ago strikers were ejected from the same plant in a battle with Japanese police.

The crowd marched into the plant early this morning singing the Communist song, "Internationale." Other developments in Japan's labor turmoil reflecting the current tension included visits to General MacArthur by both Emperor Hirohito and Premier Shigeru Yoshida yesterday.

**JOB FOR JAPANESE**

Col. James Truden, civil affairs governor for Hiroshima, commenting on the steel plant situation, said it was the responsibility of Japanese authorities to eject the mob. Truden indicated the Australian occupation troops in the area would not become involved.

An American soldier was involved yesterday for the first time in the

labor riots growing out of enforcement of the American-sponsored "austerity" economic program which calls for employment cuts in various industries.

The incident occurred when Sgt. Andrew Brunner and a Nisei civilian employee of the army entered a union office in Takahagi, scene of the latest labor outbreak, to reduce three Japanese coal mine executives who had been detained by unions.

Then, Col. Tyson, commander of occupation troops in Ibaragi Prefecture (Province), reported to headquarters that a piece of tile was thrown from a rooftop at Brunner's jeep as he was leaving the union office with the three executives.

Then, Col. Tyson continued, two Japanese closed in and tried to pull off his jacket and disarm him. Brunner was not injured.

## London Dockers Boycott Vote on Return to Work

LONDON, July 8 (CP).—London dockers today boycotted a secret ballot held by their union to determine whether the men would return to work or continue the tie-up which has brought to a virtual standstill the port of the world's largest city.

Meanwhile the Government threatened to call a state of national emergency if work is not in full swing again by Monday morning.

While these developments took place, more troops went to work in the dockyards. They moved perishable food cargoes while another 1,400 laborers quit work, some in

support of the Canadian Seamen's Union in its battle against Canadian ship owners and the Seafarers' International Union, others in protest against service labor being employed in the docks.

The National Dock Labor Board gave these figures: Idle ships, 105; under-manned ships, 7; dockers out, 10,213.

The Seafarers' Union which staged the ballot numbers about 7,000 members, but the final result of the poll was: for resumption, 338; against, 159. Twenty-four voting ships were declared spoiled and the balance of the membership just didn't vote.

Before the result was known, Home Secretary J. Chuter Ede told the House of Commons the Government had decided that "unless the port is fully working, without discrimination between ships, by Monday morning, they will advise His Majesty's Government a proclamation under the Emergency Powers Act of 1920 declaring that a state of emergency exists."

Union spokesmen made no comment on the strike vote or on the threat of Royal intervention.

## To Concentrate On Motorists Who Break Law

VANCOUVER, July 8 (CP).—An unprecedented crackdown on delinquent motorists was ordered today by the Police Commission here.

Chief Constable Walter Mulligan announced that traffic officers will be freed as much as possible from investigation of minor mishaps to conduct patrol duty for delinquent motorists.

Today's order also made it imperative that every uniformed officer do traffic work when necessary.

The move followed investigation of figures which showed Vancouver's "deathless days" record far behind those of Seattle and Portland.

"The traffic problem is increasing in seriousness," Mulligan said, "and measures must be taken to cut down accidents and violations."

## Award Contract For Road Work

Contract for road construction in the Saanich municipality under the recent road building by-law was awarded last night to Dawson Wade & Company Limited.

The Vancouver firm submitted a low tender of \$207,561 on the projected work.

A council spokesman said last night that work would begin as soon as possible following consultation between the municipal engineer and company officials.

Saanich ratepayers approved the road by-law of \$270,000 last May 25 by a vote of 2,460 affirmative to 1,368 against.

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## Firemen's Ladders Save Swimmer



Martha Term, 25, is rescued from probable death on jagged rocks at foot of 30-foot waterfall in Great Falls Park, Washington. Being dragged to the lip of the falls by swirling current she managed to grasp a rock and hang on until the Washington fire department could rig an extension ladder to the rock on which she was marooned. Here she crawls up the ladder assisted by a fireman.

## Questions Fitness Of Judge

WASHINGTON, July 8 (INS).

Representative Nixon (Republican, California) tonight demanded a "full investigation of the fitness of Judge Samuel H. Kaufman" to serve on the bench as a result of the handling of the Alger Hiss case.

Nixon, a member of the House Un-American Activities Committee, asserted:

"His prejudice for the defence and against the prosecution was so obvious and apparent that the jury's eight-to-four vote for conviction came frankly as a surprise to me."

**WANTS 'FULL FACTS'**

"It is my intention and I know that this intention is shared by a number of my colleagues that the full facts shall be presented in due time."

Nixon called for a probe by the Senate and House Judiciary committees as Attorney-General Clark announced the Justice Department "will vigorously prosecute" the case again "as quickly as the docket of the court will permit."

Clark made his statement as top Congressional leaders driving into espionage demanded a prompt reversal of Hiss.

There were indications, however, that a retrial might not come before October.

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## Jury Discharged In Trial of Hiss

NEW YORK, July 8 (CP).—The Alger Hiss perjury trial, ended tonight at a jury disagreement. It had lasted six weeks.

The jurors were split eight to four in favor of convicting the former State Department official, after weighing his fate for nearly 28 hours.

United States Attorney John P. X. McGohey announced that Hiss would be tried again. Hiss' \$5,000 bond also will be continued.

**DENIED CLAIM**

Hiss was accused of lying when he denied to a Grand Jury that he gave secret State Department papers to ex-Communist courier Whitaker Chambers for transmission to a Russian spy ring.

Hiss was smiling faintly when he left the courtroom following discharge of the jury by Federal Judge Samuel H. Kaufman. His wife Priscilla, however, appeared close to tears.

Before reporting their final failure to reach a verdict the jurors had told Judge Kaufman they were deadlocked. Each time the judge ordered them to make another attempt.

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## BULLETINS

### Seek Pair

VANCOUVER, July 8 (CP).—Search by Provincial Police and volunteer fishermen is under way tonight following the disappearance of two men aboard a 36-foot converted landing barge.

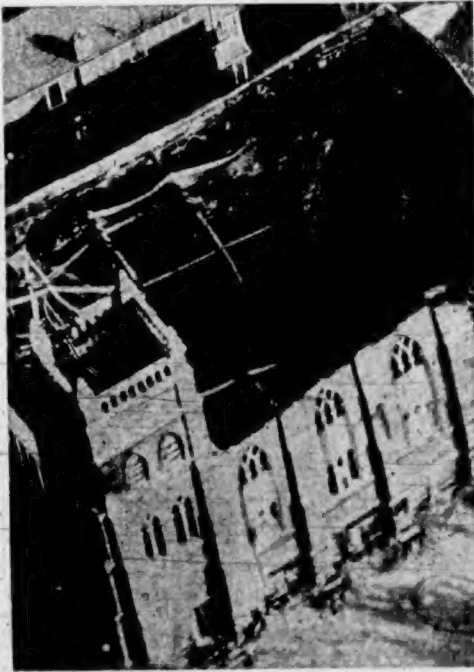
Missing are William Nicholas of Lasqueti Island, and Jack Thomas, a Vancouver marine engineer.

They were traveling from Vancouver to Lasqueti Island. They failed to arrive and police were notified today.

**Storm Kills 12**

MANILA, July 9 (Saturday) (CP).—A typhoon that left at least 12 dead in the Central Philippines blew out into the South China Sea today.

### Seek Arsonist in Church Fire



A \$200,000 fire which destroyed Westminster Presbyterian Church in Hamilton, Ont., is blamed on a church robber or an arsonist. Seen from the air, only twisted beams remain at top of edifice after the roof fell in, leaving walls standing as the interior was gutted. Police found wooden door leading to the basement was smashed and unbolted.

## Crisis May Affect Canada's Imports

### Russians Halt 30 Trucks

HAMBURG, Germany, July 8 (CP).—The Russians tonight halted all trucks bound for Western Berlin through a zonal border crossing point near Luebeck, an official announcement said.

About 30 trucks carrying vegetables and other goods were turned back by the Russians.

The Germans were told by the Russian officer in charge of the crossing point that the action had been taken "on orders from Karlshorst."

Karlshorst is where Russian Military Government headquarters is situated.

In Berlin, British Military Government officials accused Russia of violating the recent Big Four Foreign Ministers' Paris Agreement.

A Military Government statement said a Soviet Control officer had stated no goods destined for Berlin will be allowed to pass until further notice.

Empty trucks, passenger buses or cars, and transports for the Russian occupation zone are permitted to proceed.

### Claims Russia Aiding Reds With Troops

TAIPEH, Formosa, July 8 (INS).—China's Nationalist naval commander tonight accused Russia of keeping 300,000 Red army troops in Manchuria to bolster the Chinese Communists' southward sweep against his treaty-recognized government.

Vice-Admiral Kuei Yung-Ching, in an exclusive interview with International News Service, also declared he intends to follow up his blockade of Communist-held ports with a full-scale amphibious assault.

Kuei's charge against Russia is one in a long list of accusations about Soviet violations of wartime treaties and agreements beginning with the Big Four Yalta agreement early in 1945, and the Soviet-China treaty late that year, when Russian troops overran Manchuria.

The admiral said the alleged 300,000 troops are garrisoning Manchuria to relieve at least an equal number of Chinese Communists from front-line action, aimed at conquering all of China. He said his source was "confirmed naval intelligence reports."

Under the Yalta agreement and the Sino-Soviet treaty the Chinese Nationalists were given "full sovereignty" in Manchuria, but they never obtained it. Russia stripped the area of industrial equipment and also was accused of blocking Nationalist troop entry in favor of the Communists, equipped with captured Japanese arms.

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The statement, taken by Deputy Chief Claydars in the home of the accused, was:

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"Two or three times my wife has been touchy about this and I got balled up and grabbed her around the throat. I didn't know how long I held her, but she collapsed when I let go. This took place in my living-room, and she collapsed on the couch. That evening I moved her to the bedroom. I did not know she was dead. I stayed up all that night and went in to look at her several times. I have not slept much since and have not eaten. This morning I phoned C. Roberts

### Decision Anticipated Soon On Ways of Aiding Britain

OTTAWA, July 8 (CP).—Canada likely will make a decision soon, an informed source said today, to discourage spending in the United States and accelerate spending in the United Kingdom as the Dominion's part in easing Britain's dollar crisis.

This policy, said the source, will be one of the factors which Finance Minister Abbott will discuss with United Kingdom and United States counterparts during international financial discussions now proceeding in London.

It will mean generally that those United States commodities which still have not been lifted from import restrictions will continue to be banned from Canada for some time to come. Other shipments, regulated through quota arrangements, will continue to be regulated to keep to a minimum Canada's expenditure of dollars.

The Government first started import restrictions on United States goods in November, 1947, when the Dominion's dollar status began to deteriorate to a dangerous low level of less than \$500,000,000.

Since then Canada's dollar reserves have been steadily increasing and now are almost touching \$1,000,000,000.

With steadily-increasing reserves, the Government from time to time lifted the ban on some American goods and placed others under a quota basis. Further easing now is unlikely.

Under the ban are a large variety of machinery and manufactured goods which can be produced in Canada at slightly higher cost.

The new trading approach is not expected to affect such basic commodities as cotton, coal, petroleum and structural steel, on which there now is no import restrictions. Canada depends on the United States for the greater part of those supplies.

## Experts Analyze Position

LONDON, July 8 (CP).—Financial experts of the United Kingdom, Canada and the United States today opened preliminary talks at the British Treasury on ways and means of easing the financial tension between the world's sterling and dollar areas.

The three-power economic and trade teams ranged over the whole field of the sterling area's gold and dollar position.

The atmosphere at today's meetings was officially described as "excellent." Informed sources said the ministers had an analytical discussion on factors which have upset world trade, causing the gold and dollar reserves of the sterling area to sink by \$65,000,000 to \$406,000,000 (\$1,624,000,000) during the last three months.

The Colonial Office announced today the imposition for an indefinite period of dollar-spending restrictions on all Britain's non-self-governing colonies.

## Oak Bay Man Committed To Trial in Wife's Death

Francis Edward Smith, 75, 2225 Dunlevy Street, has made a statement, saying he killed his wife, Sarah Elizabeth, by strangling her on the night of June 19, during a quarrel over some fruit trees.

Oak Bay Deputy Police Chief L. O. Claydars presented at a preliminary hearing yesterday afternoon a statement signed by Smith.

Smith was committed for trial at the Fall Assizes by Magistrate H. C. Hall after City Prosecutor Claude L. Harrison called 11 witnesses for the Crown.

Jack Rutlan, counsel for Smith, called no witnesses. Mr. Rutlan had been asked to appear for the elderly pensioner by the legal aid bureau of the Victoria Bar Association.

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**NO MONEY FOR BURIAL**

"He said he hadn't realized what he was doing when he grabbed her by the throat. He also asked if his wife would be buried by the municipality because he said he had no money."

"At that point he broke down. He said he had been married 59 years and he loved his wife too much to let her die with himself."

Dr. J. H. Moore told the court the cause of Mrs. Smith's death was asphyxia, and on his examination June 21 she had been dead two or three days.

Dr. E. J. W. Nash told of being called to the Smith house where he found the accused sitting on the chesterfield with cuts on his throat and one wrist.

When asked by the magistrate to stand up while he was read the committal charge, Smith started to fall, but was caught by Constable Bates, his guard in court. The magistrate then said it would be all right for the accused to sit down.

**Highs and Lows Of the Weather**

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
St. John's	46	56	41
Halifax	42	52	34
Montreal	53	68	—
Toronto	59	73	—
Port Arthur	56	69	—
Winnipeg	57	65	—
Regina	59	73	—
Saskatoon	57	67	23
Swift Current	48	58	—
Medicine Hat	48	58	—
Calgary	44	57	—
Edmonton	48	58	—
Kamloops	49	59	—
Penticton	50	61	—
Vancouver	51	61	—
Victoria	51	61	—
Prince Rupert	44	54	—
Prince George	39	49	—
Seattle	50	74	—
San Francisco	54	74	—
Los Angeles	54	74	—
New York	56	81	—
Washington	43	77	—



## Seeks Arrest of U.S. Witness For Cruelties in Prison Camp

SAN FRANCISCO, July 8 (INS).—A former American prisoner of war was disclosed today to be seeking a warrant for the arrest of a Government witness in the Tokio Rose treason trial.

U.S. Commissioner Francis Fox announced that the warrant is sought by Mark L. Streeter, 51, an Idaho Falls, Idaho, grocer who was in the Tokio Rose treason trial.

Streeter accuses Shigetanga Tsunehiko, a former Japanese army major, of ordering and permitting cruelties against American prisoners of war while in command of Bunka Prison in Tokio. Tsunehiko is in San Francisco as a prosecution witness in the Tokio Rose trial.

Commissioner Fox said he was not sure whether he has jurisdiction in the case. He announced he will make his decision Monday.

Streeter declared he was "shocked" to learn a month ago that Tsunehiko would be a Government witness in the trial. He said:

"I thought this man was surely in prison. He ordered beatings, starvation and threats of death of American prisoners while I was held in Bunka Prison."

### OTHER PRISONERS AT TRIAL

There are other former prisoners of war summoned as witnesses at this trial who suffered under this man. Violence may result when

Streeter said he wants Tsunehiko's arrest apart from the Tokio Rose case. He added:

"I just think this man should be brought to trial for his cruelties against American prisoners. I cannot understand why he was never arrested and tried."

### THIRD IN COMMAND

When informed of Streeter's charges Tsunehiko pointed out that he was only third in command at Bunka. He declared, with the permission of Government prosecutors:

"As to these charges I will tell about them when I go on the witness stand."

A Government spokesman said Tsunehiko was in charge of propaganda at the prison.

## Czech Children "Heroes" In Red-Inspired Games

PRAGUE, July 8 (AP).—Czech-Slovak children "no longer play at being Al Capone or cruel American Indian chiefs," the official Communist newspaper proudly notes today. Under the new regime "they play they are workers' heroes."

The newspaper, Rude Pravo, says this change has come over the country's youth just since the Communists took over the country last year.

"Now children at play are heard to shout 'I am Toncar' or 'I am Andula Vackova' instead of 'I am Al Capone' or 'I am an Apache chief,'" the paper says.

Toncar and Miss Vackova are Czech-Slovak workers hailed by the Communist Government for exceeding their production quotas.

## 'Lucky' Luciano Queried In Italy in Drug Case

ROME, July 8 (INS).—Charles "Lucky" Luciano, one-time American vice czar, was jailed by Italian police tonight, protesting violently that United States narcotics officials "are out to get me."

Italian police said they want to extradite the notorious "Lucky" to his native Sicily so they could more easily keep an eye on the man who made millions out of rackets.

Luciano, who was deported from the United States several years ago when he was released from prison, was grilled intermittently over a 24-

hour period in connection with an international dope smuggling ring.

Luciano denied all charges and Italian police admitted they had "nothing on him" and that he actually "is not under arrest."

The 31-year-old Sicilian was questioned specifically about the recent seizure of 25 pounds of cocaine valued at \$500,000 at the Ciampino Airport in Rome. The cocaine was found on Vincent Trupia of New York, who was arrested at the airport as he boarded a plane for the United States.

Luciano will be brought face-to-face with Trupia in what police said would be a showdown.

Police said the meeting may decide whether Luciano will beat the proposed deportation or be placed under arrest on a narcotics charge.

Italian authorities took him into custody and also held his "lieutenant," Ralph Liguori, who is regarded as a "front man" for several of Luciano's night-club operations in Rome.

A similar proposal to confine "Lucky" to his Sicilian birthplace was defeated in Palermo, when he returned to Italy following his expulsion from Cuba.

Chief Prosecutor Tomaso Wolfe presented a "work sheet" designed to show the type of work Mrs. Iva Toguri de Aquino performed for Radio Tokio.

On the stand was Yukio Ikeda, smiling, bespectacled personnel chief of the broadcasting station since September, 1945.

TAKEN FROM FILES  
Ikeda testified that the paper was taken from the station's files on June 4, 1946, and given to F.B.I. agents.

He declared that the record was not prepared under his direction inasmuch as Iva began work at Radio Tokio two years before he started on the job. In fact, he added, he had never seen the defendant until the trial began early this week.

Defence Attorney Wayne Collins protested that a proper foundation as to the authenticity of the "work sheet" had not been laid.

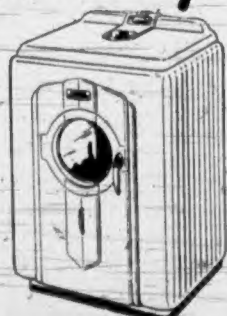
### In Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, July 8 (CP).—Canada's Governor-General, Viscount Alexander, reached here tonight by R.C.A.F. aircraft from Whitehorse, Yukon, after an extended visit to Canada's Arctic regions. Most northerly point visited by the Governor-General was Akavik, near the Beaufort Sea north of the Arctic Circle.

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## Senate Told U.S. Unprepared If Parachutists Made Attack

WASHINGTON, July 8 (INS).—The Senate was told during debate on the Atlantic Pact today that a Communist underground is probably making plans for a parachute attack on the United States in from five to 12 years.

This grim warning was delivered by Sen. Lodge (Rep., Mass.), who said it is "comforting" that no nation is able to make an "effective parachute or airborne drop on Washington, Boston or Detroit now because we would be completely unready to deal with it."

URGENT SHOWDOWN  
Meanwhile, a bi-partisan group of ten senators proposed a showdown in the United States between the United States and Russia and a global "peace" alliance if this effort fails to produce the desired results.

Six Republican and four Democratic lawmakers recommended that President Truman initiate a plan to revise the United Nations Charter to eliminate the veto, set up a police force, establish atomic energy control and provide for world disarmament.

WORLD TREATY  
If Russia should balk at this, they asked that the President undertake to supplement the Atlantic Pact with a world treaty to "avert by firm action now the Third World War."

OPPOSED TO PLAN  
Meanwhile, Sen. Taft, Ohio, O.O.P. policy leader, told the Senate he is "absolutely opposed to providing arms to Europe" in connection with the Atlantic Pact.

Taft said he is deeply concerned over whether a vote for the Pact will obligate him to support the European rearmament program. His statement pointed up the disagreement between him and Sen.

## Morning Star Boosts Lead In Yacht Race

LOS ANGELES, July 8 (INS).—The schooner Morning Star today increased slightly her lead in the 15th biennial yacht race from San Pedro, Calif., to Honolulu.

Making her daily progress report on the 2,228-mile blue water contest, the schooner radioed that she had gained two miles on the cutter Patolia of Santa Barbara during the last 24 hours and was now 12 miles out in front.

At the time the report was written the Morning Star, scratch boat in the race, was 863 miles from the Los Angeles harbor light. The boats left San Pedro at noon, July 4.

The Flying Cloud, Honolulu schooner, gained about ten miles on the leaders and was maintaining her third-place position. She was 50 miles astern of the Patolia.

There was no report from the schooner Gallant, which was in fourth place yesterday, and in the absence of word from that vessel the Traveler of San Francisco was listed in fourth spot, 50 miles back of the Flying Cloud.

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Johnson Street Highway Bridge will be closed between the hours of 11:00 p.m. Sunday, July 10 to 7:00 a.m. Monday, July 11, 1949, in order to effect certain repairs to the electrical equipment on the Bridge.

CYRIL JONES, City Engineer.

sume" will be done when the time comes. He added:

"I assume such organization work is being done by Communists in this country now, at this very minute, looking ahead today five, ten, 15 or 20 years from now—the duration of the Atlantic Pact—when the nation which desires to attack us is ready."

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# The Local Scene

With Additional District News on Page 21

## City to Have New Post Office, Federal Building in 18 Months

Victoria will have its new \$2,000,000 Post Office-Federal Building within 18 months, Federal public works officials told The Daily Colonist Ottawa correspondent yesterday.

Hon. Alphonse Fourrier, Minister of Public Works, formally announced last night that an order in council has been approved providing for the construction of the five-story building to the Northern Construction Company and J. W. Stewart Ltd.

Award of the contract to the Vancouver firm was forecast in The Daily Colonist last Tuesday. Contract price for the structure is \$2,062,000.

The work will be started immediately and proceeded with until completion without any undue delay, Mr. Fourrier said.

## Today's Question

Answer on Page 4  
What is the area of the Northwest Territories?

### 2,686 WELFARE CASES

Number of welfare cases handled by the city social welfare department during May totaled 2,686, according to Alderman Mrs. Margaret D. Christie, chairman of the welfare committee. Average number of cases handled by each welfare department worker was 362.8.

Total number of cases cared for in April was 2,710 and in March, 2,686.

### HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC

Twenty-one children from the Protestant Orphanage were guests at the annual picnic of the Ladies' Auxiliary, P.O.E. No. 12, which was held this week at Willow Beach.

The children, accompanied by two junior supervisors, were taken to the picnic in cars donated by Sister O. Kennedy and E. Cooper. There they enjoyed a full afternoon of races and plentiful refreshments.

### PATIENTS ENTERTAINED

On Thursday evening the patients of the Veterans' Hospital were entertained by the Victoria Girls' Pipe Band under Pipe Major Nancy Chalmers.

### TO WELCOME DELEGATES

Mayor George will welcome delegates to the annual conference of the British Columbia Aviation Council when it opens in Victoria at the Empress Hotel on September 6 at 9:30 p.m.

### POLE BURNS

A fire in the base of a telephone pole in the 1100 block Fort Street was extinguished by city firemen yesterday.

### GRASS FIRE

Oak Bay firemen put out a small grass fire near the intersection of Thompson Avenue and Cudbore Bay Road yesterday morning.

### ATTEND PICNIC

More than 150 members and friends of the Lanarkshire and Yorkshire Societies attended the group's first annual picnic at Beaver Lake recently.

The local group, known as the "League of Roses," sponsored a full day of sports events and refreshments. Tentative plans have been made for a picnic September 3.

### PELLESTOWE, Suffolk, England

— A proposal for a new \$400,000 (\$1,600,000) nine-mile road with dual carriage-ways and cycle tracks between Ipswich and Pellestowe, is under consideration.

## Blue Baby Operation On City Boy Success

A recent operation on 19-year-old "Blue Boy Billy" was described as a "complete success" by Dr. W. A. Trenholme, member of the Victoria Lions Club health and welfare committee, at a club luncheon yesterday.

The club recently voted \$500 for necessary treatment for the boy.

Both his name and the name of the doctor who performed the operation July 3 at Royal Jubilee Hospital are being withheld.

After leaving the hospital July 12, he will go to the Bolarium for convalescence.

### FATHER A PATIENT

The boy's mother is partly invalid, according to club officials, and his father is a patient in a local nursing home.

Also owing to the efforts of the Lions' welfare committee, headed by Milton King, a nine-year-old city school girl was recently fitted with a hearing aid.

Club members were told that the child, who previously could hardly speak, is now rapidly learning to talk.

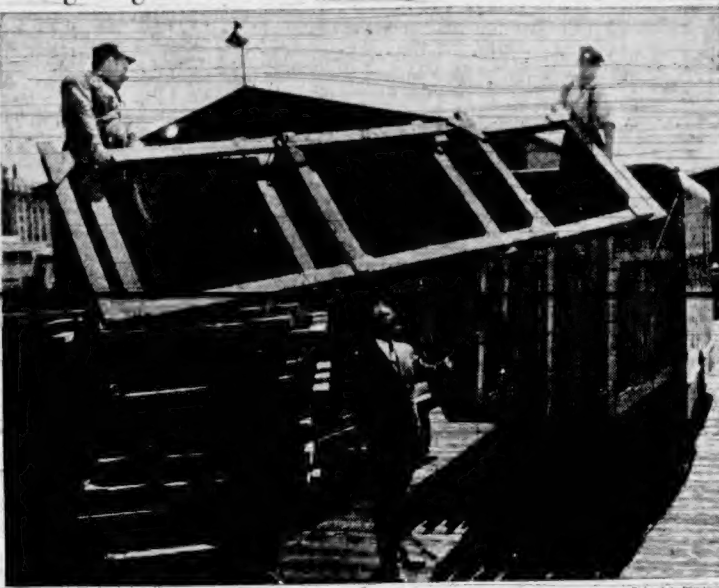
### CHAIRMAN NAMED

Lions committee chairman named at the meeting were:

Administration: Chairman, L. Keyworth; attendance, Hugo Allen; education, Jack Fuller; convention, Harold McWilliam; finance, Ted Hart; membership, George Holt; program, Walter Roth; bulletin, R. Levitt; reception, F. Richardson; badge keeper, Ed Gibson.

Activities: Chairman, George Thackray; boys and girls, W. Spouse; social, T. Stiller; health and welfare, Milton King; picnic, T. Bissenden; Fall carnival, R. Taylor and R. Mead; Carnation Day, J. Wilcox; Easter Seals, C. Savage; May 34 committee, J. Priestley.

## Big Stage Arrives for Starlight Theatre Opening



Four carloads of equipment for Victoria Theatre Foundation's second season of Starlight Theatre arrived in Victoria yesterday for transport to Memorial Arena. Above, Derek Jovan, Vancouver, supervises as David Wright, left, and George Silburn of local transfer firm unload sections of giant 85-foot stage. Starlight Theatre's first production, "The Merry Widow," is scheduled to open July 25.

## Fire Hazard "Moderate" Officials Say

Though seven new fires were reported by the B.C. Forest Service yesterday to have broken out in the Vancouver Forest District, officials described the fire hazard as "moderate."

Total number of fire-reported burning in the Province last yesterday was 29. All but one of the new fires were reported extinguished but it has been brought under control.

Two new fires in the Langford district were extinguished. A third Island fire at Black Creek, near Courtenay, burned over half an acre before 11 men and a suppression crew brought it under control.

### MOP UP BLAZE

In the remainder of the Vancouver district, the fire on the Silver Skagit Logging company's property southeast of Hope is being mopped up by four pump crews. The fire on the Fawn Bluff Logging Company's property at Bute Inlet, which burned 140 acres, is reported under control.

In the Nelson district, six fires are being fought by ten men; Kamloops, eight fires under control; Prince George, eight under control. No fires were reported from the Prince Rupert district.

## Planners Irate As City "Idle" Over Fountain

Concern over City Council's "apparent lack of activity" in dealing with a recommendation calling for regulation of traffic at the dangerous Fountain Intersection was expressed by members of the Town Planning Commission at a meeting Thursday night.

The commission made its recommendation to council last May, advising that control of "wandering traffic" at the intersection of Douglas and Government Streets, Hillside Avenue and the Gorge Road could be realized through a system of canalization and installation of traffic control lights.

### BASED ON STUDY

The recommendation was based on a study of the Fountain Intersection made by Washington State Highway department experts.

M. Kirkpatrick Crockett, secretary of the commission, said he had been notified the recommendation had been referred to the public works committee. He said he had received no other report of any action being taken.

It is understood the public works committee will report on its study of the recommendation before the end of this month.

TENTERDEN, Kent, England (CP). — In Tenterden's 500th year as a borough, Stanley Day, chairman of the National Farmers' Union Kent branch, was elected mayor.

## Name W. T. McLaughlin Conciliator in Dispute

W. T. McLaughlin has been named conciliator in a dispute between the Nanaimo Typographical Union and three up-Island publishing firms, it was announced yesterday by the Labor Relations Board.

The companies involved are The West Coast Advocate, Port Alberni; The Cowichan Leader and Publishing Co., Duncan; and The Comox Argus Printing and Publishing Co., Courtenay.

The union is seeking a 15-cent-an-hour wage increase, plus payment for eight statutory holidays.

Employers have refused the requests and are asking a change in the ratio of journeymen to apprentices and insertion of a competency clause in the agreement.

Vancouver Joint Shipyard Union Conference demands for wage increases of 25 cents an hour, double

with pay will go before William Fraser, senior conciliator officer for the Labor Relations Board.

Other conciliation appointments include: Percy Gomery, Vancouver, chairman of a board which will assist Dr. Ballard's Animal Food Products Ltd. and Local 283, United Packinghouse Workers of America, in reaching an agreement; George Street, Vancouver, chairman of a board in a dispute between Western Crown Manufacturing Co., New Westminster, and Local 1-337, I.W.A. of Willisroft, Vancouver, Stage Productions Ltd. and Local B-72, Theatre Employees' Union; A.C.A. Baker, Kelowna, Kelowna Exploration Co. Ltd. and the Hedley Nickel Plate Mine and Mill Workers Union, Local 656; A.C.A. Baker, Kelowna, Reeves MacDonald Mines, Ltd., and the United Brotherhood of

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## Fraser Valley Authority Ends July 31

Dissolution of the Fraser Valley Rehabilitation Authority was announced by Premier Byron I. Johnson yesterday following a meeting of the Provincial Cabinet.

Premier Johnson stated the Rehabilitation Authority would be dissolved on July 31 and present its final report to the Government August 1.

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## Utilities Commission Has Dual Function

HEARD heard from and often imposed watch with some interest what action the Public Utilities Commission will take with another round of tariff increase applications before the Provincial tribunal. Bus riders have never paid more than they are paying today in British Columbia. If first in Vancouver and then elsewhere, these tariffs are to go up again, it will be the lowest paid wage earners who will be hardest hit. Have they a friend at court? That is the pertinent question.

By its powers the Public Utilities Commission has virtually the last word in the case. It is bound on the one hand by what is a fair return to those who have invested their money in transit operations, and on the other by the degree of public conven-

ience and comfort such services provide. On the latter part of the equation is what the public can afford to pay for its rides on a daily pattern. Ten cent straight cash fares are no small consideration to the average working man or woman, and that has to be multiplied by the number of essential trips daily and weekly.

So far hearings before the commission have been featured mainly by representations from the transit operators, their staffs, and the contracting municipalities. Yet at every hearing there is a third party in the room. It is the public. This time transit users will be watching to see that the end of all transit operation—service to the public—is not underweighed when it comes to the rights of all parties concerned. The public right is perhaps the most urgent of all.

## Alderman Williams and the Press

ALDERMAN Edward Williams, who has on previous occasions disclaimed words attributed to him which on reflection might seem as though they had been better left unsaid, has written to this newspaper to deny that he objected to the presence of Reeve Wootton of Oak Bay in a delegation of the Bar Association which met the City Council this week on the matter of civic trade licences.

The alderman was not misquoted, as he says he was, a fact he can verify by rereading the news story of which he complains. No specific words on this point were cited as being uttered by him during the discussion which took place after the delegation had left. Had they been, he might have had greater cause for soul searching. The report merely said he had objected to Mr. Wootton's attendance.

This newspaper has implicit confidence in the integrity of its staff, especially those entrusted with the coverage of important

municipal and provincial matters. Nevertheless Alderman Williams is a prominent member of the City Council, he serves as Acting Mayor among other posts, and The Daily Colonist accepts his statement now that he did not raise any objection to the presence of Reeve Wootton, and is pleased so to proclaim.

One trusts the alderman will not think it improper, however, to quote from a letter he sent to Reeve Wootton assuring the latter of his (Mr. Williams') enduring friendliness, a copy of which he forwarded to this office. Thus: "I trust you will, from your own experience in public office, realize that newspaper reporters often quote speakers and put into their mouths remarks that were never made." Not often, Mr. Williams.

The difficulty of dealing with some public men is that quite often they are unaware of all they are saying while they are saying it. This may be the explanation of any misunderstanding that could arise.

## B.C. Indians Gain Voice in Government

A NEW chapter in the political history of British Columbia and of Canada has been written in the election of Mr. Frank Calder to the Provincial Legislature. Mr. Calder is an Indian. He is the first member of any of Canada's native tribes to be given a voice in the government of the land that belonged to his ancestors; and it is fitting that he should have headed the polls in Atlin in the first election since extension of the provincial franchise to the aboriginal population.

It is noteworthy, too, that Mr. Calder won his place in the Legislature by defeating the sitting member in open contest, under an unconditional franchise. Thus his election differs from the return of Maoris to the New Zealand Parliament, where four native members are elected each term in contests limited to voters of their own race.

When Mr. Calder was nominated in Atlin his candidature was heralded editorially across Canada as a significant event in Canadian history, even by newspapers strongest in their opposition to the party he represents. Regret was widespread when the initial count indicated Mr. Calder's defeat, now reversed by the official total giving him a six-vote majority and the seat.

As a member of the Provincial House the young Indian legislator will not have a say in the administration of Indian affairs, since they are matters for the Dominion Parliament. He will, however, have an equal voice with his colleagues across the Bay in the running of the province his people inhabit. That is a good thing not only for the Indians; it is good also for British Columbia.

## Letters and Excerpts

Letters to the editor on any topic of general interest are welcome if they are brief, accurate and fair. No letter will be inserted, in whole or in part, except after the proper signature and address of the writer. Unsolicited correspondence cannot be returned.

## CIRCUS IS CIRCUS

Sir,—Why is it that people hate to let kids see a circus in this town?

When we were kids we saw them, and still do. And as regards treatment to the animals by the trainer, I think it was just part of the act. They have just as much fun with the trainer as the kids do watching the show.

It looks like some people never saw a circus before. And as far as the whip goes, he had only one in his hand.

As for paying to get into the circus, some people sure are blind. You could have paid \$1.50 seat, just like the rest of us. Sure, you could pay 75¢ or 25¢ more for a better seat; but there was no law to say you had to pay it.

R. R. NORRIS

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## ENDURANCE SHOWN

Sir,—I most heartily agree with all that Natalie Guthrie has to say in defence of the British people who were so smugly criticized. These folk who cross to Britain and make a brief survey of conditions there, and return here with such declarations, make me tired.

They should try a few years of the British diet, endure the austerity and restrictions and they would soon change their tune. I can just imagine how the average Canadian would react if deprived of his daily steak, ham and eggs, etc., all of which the British folk only dream about.

I, too, have suffered and endured with the British people and can vouch for the effect that "going without" has upon the physical and nervous systems. They are tired and weary, after ten years of dull and monotonous diet, that is sapping their strength and energy.

They are still the "salt of the earth," and I am confident that no other people on this planet would have endured and kept it head as the British have.

Ask the Canadian servicemen who spent a few war years over there and endured with them and you will get the truth!

I never eat a good Canadian meal without a guilty feeling, when I think of the folk "over there." I say to these critical visitors to Britain, pause awhile and gently scan them and reflect what this world might be today if the grand British people hadn't sweated, toiled, shed their civilian blood and tears and kept faith.

MARY M. PEARCE

34 Halliburton St., Nanaimo, B.C.

## ANOTHER VIEW

Sir,—In regard to proposed car-testing station. When we are going to reach the saturation point in money-grabbing racket? Having had 22 years of commercial driving, I feel qualified to say that the authorities will be wasting their time and the taxpayers' money in attempting to curb accidents with a car-testing station. Of what value in terms of safety to have a car in perfect mechanical order, with a selfish, thoughtless driver in control?

This law will hit particularly those who can not afford a new car, or continual high-priced repairs. A new car in good order with a reckless driver can hit a telephone pole just as easily as an old model—and a lot harder.

The public is well aware that the great majority of cars involved in accidents have little or no mechanical defects, excepting the one behind the wheel. A published list of cars involved in accidents, in the last twelve months, their registration year, and mechanical condition just prior to the accident would, I think, back my contention that drivers of older model cars realize the limited power of their engines and, therefore, avoid taking chances at intersections, hills and curves.

A. H. HICKS

R.R. 1, Royal Oak, V.I., B.C.

## Shepherd Boy's Song

He that is down, needs fear no fall,  
He that is low, no pride;  
He that is humble, ever shall  
Have God to be his guide.

I am content with what I have,  
Little be it, or much;  
And, Lord, contentment still I leave,  
Because thou sweetest such.

Fullness to such a burden is  
That go on pilgrimage:  
Here little, and thereafter bliss  
Is best from age to age.

—JOHN BUNYAN.

(From "The Pilgrim's Progress").

To place and power all public spirit tends.  
In place and power all public spirit ends.

—THOMAS MOORE.

## The British Scene



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## Pioneers

By FRANK M. KELLEY

WHEN a British Columbian, native-born or here by chance or choice, starts to boast about the kindly climatic conditions which favor the coastal portions of the province throughout the year, his most fullsome praise can still fall short of really acquainting the stranger with everything that contributes to routine existence hereabouts.

Life can be easy-flowing apparently for some, no matter what the circumstances, and there are instances where the evidence definitely flouts the old saying which has it that the natural span of man's years is about three score and ten. At that, there is no suggestion that anyone can just drift down the stream of time and attain a ripe old age; but neither is there any implication that one who beats the allotted limit does so in the role of a lotus-eater.

It is not an extraordinary adventure in living if a man can live to be a hundred or more, it has been said. The secret, according to some of the better-known patriarchs we have heard of and met has to do with the amount of work one is privileged to carry out and the degree of moderation with which the carrying-out is conducted.

## OLDSTERS NOT UNCOMMON

Grey hairs of ninety-year texture and color are not uncommon in some places within a few hundred miles of Victoria. Personally, in my limited cruising acquaintance between Haro Strait and Queen Charlotte Sound, I met a few who were well on the way to top the hundred-year mark, and some of them undoubtedly did.

Take the Theous, for instance—Louis and his wife. They were not what you would call old-time residents, either. Evidently they found rejuvenation as they maintained their self-respect during the years of their sojourn on an island of the Gordon group in Queen Charlotte Sound.

Louis Theous was all of sixty-eight and his wife but ten years younger when they were lured by stories of land to be had for the asking by the side of quiet waters off the British Columbia Coast. That was some time about 1913-14; and evidently wanting to get as far away as possible from the busy marts of men, they pre-empted a bit of land on the Christie Pass side of Hurst Island.

They were of French-Canadian stock and possessing the true pioneering spirit. Their capital when they landed on the site of their new home, apart from their meagre household possessions and some canvas to protect them from the weather, was just ten dollars, while they were in debt to the amount of fifteen dollars. Being a handy man, Louis cleared some land, built a log cabin, a boat, chicken and goat houses and dug a garden, while Mrs. Theous became proficient with an axe and a crosscut saw and helped him along.

## VISITORS PLENTIFUL ENOUGH

Although somewhat rocky, the Theous' pre-emption was not so isolated at that. They had plenty of transient visitors; for Christie Pass was on the favored route of fishermen either going north to Alaska and Northern British Columbia or southbound to Strait of Georgia or Puget Sound points. These provided the Theous with a cash market for everything they could furnish in the way of eggs and vegetables, canned wild berries and potted deer meat.

Glorifying in their independence, the Theous, although they were grandparents, made their way without help from relatives or Government aid. So it was very good until such time as it came to pass that the Theous, after their brave essay, learned there's a limit to the days a man can toil, no matter how eager. Louis passed away about ten days ago in Vancouver, aged 110, while his wife preceded him ten years ago. Had you asked either of them what their recipe for longevity was, they would have told you there was no such thing—the price was hard work and few worries.

## Trials and the Press

By RAYMOND MOLEY

NEW YORK.—It is hardly necessary to note the importance of and public interest in the three trials involving Communism that have been in the papers over the past weeks. One of them—the trial of the Communist leaders before Federal Judge Medina—has been going on slowly for months. The Hiss and Coplon trials have been shorter, but in a sense more important to Americans concerned about the integrity of our government.

These trials have been reported in the press in some detail, depending on the policy of each paper and the available space. So far as my reading of papers is concerned, the coverage has been fair, ample and exceedingly restrained. This is the more remarkable because of the unremitting campaign against Communism—domestic and foreign—that has gone on in the press since the end of the war.

It also is remarkable since so much of the press is anti-administration and the President has taken the attitude that the claims of subversive activities in government are largely "red herrings." The Hiss and Coplon trials are the first real tests of these claims, and it would be natural for papers that have expressed opinions on the subject to want these defendants to be proved guilty.

In the foregoing I have been referring to the news columns. Editorial pages have been almost completely silent during the progress of the trials, which is in pursuance of the best of newspaper tradition.

## Papering Over the Cracks

(From The Christian Science Monitor)

IN the days when dictatorship was something new, and when people were surprised that Mussolini could make trains run on time, the notion ran abroad that the trick of political unity had at last been achieved.

It all looked so smooth from the outside. Everybody waved the same flag. Everybody gave the same salute. The vivas and the bells were monolithic.

We remember speaking of this to a great European historian in those days. He said: "Some day you will see that all a dictatorship can do is to paper over the cracks."

It was like that with Mussolini. It was so with Hitler. But because we are looking at Russian totalitarianism from the outside the cracks are not so visible.

We know that the cracks are there when we see changes within the Kremlin. For nations don't change foreign ministers and commissars for light and casual reasons.

And we are reminded that Russia is not all of one piece when trouble develops with the satellites. We are conscious that the Soviet Council for Mutual Economic Assistance is not so much an answer to the Marshall Plan as it is an effort of the Soviets to solve

the growing problems within their own extended economy.

But when it comes to matters of policy, the myth of the monolith is still upon us. We assume that in foreign affairs the Soviet line is clear and direct. We assume that they always know what they want. And that the light of desire burns unfalteringly no matter what temporary changes in tactics may be seen.

It would be too much to suggest that the Russians didn't know what they wanted when they asked the Council of Foreign Ministers to meet, and it might be naive to assume that it was merely a reflex reaction to the diplomatic defeat which they had suffered in the Berlin blockade.

But if nothing else emerges from Paris, the sessions there may well have shown the doubts and uncertainties in Russian diplomatic thinking. Part of their process has been one of obstruction. Much of their action is sheer awkwardness. But it may be useful to watch the extent to which Russian policy is confused and indeterminate. This element was clearly visible as the talks proceeded in the pink marble palace.

The nature of dictatorship is that the cracks will widen.

## Fun, Fact and Fiction

## TOO EARLY

From the Public Notices in The Maitland Mercury, N.S.W.: "I have a rooster that crows at 5 o'clock. Want to trade him for one that crows at 6 o'clock." Tom Dwyer, Victoria Street, West Maitland.

London is establishing a new school for instruction in all phases of the hotel and catering business. On graduation day successful students no doubt will file past with palms upward.

Customer—It's tough to pay 90 cents a pound for meat.  
Butcher—It's tougher when you pay 35 cents.

"Old Bergen Lives Again," reads a headline in Norway Digest. Sounds like one of Charlie's lines.

Two magazine writers have long been at daggers drawn. The other day one said of the other to a group of friends:

"I'd like to write his epitaph."  
"What would you say?" he was asked.

John Blank—Born September 18,

1913—Not that it makes any difference.

Silence is the best politeness.

## TOUGH ANTS

Darwin Civil Aviation Department engineers claim the Northern Territory has the toughest colony of white ants in the world.

The transmitting station is five and a half miles from the operators' rooms at Parap airbase. The buildings are connected by underground lead-lined cables, but during the wet season a number of interruptions occurred. A test of the cable line disclosed several places where the ants had eaten through the protecting lead and devoured the cable casing, allowing water to seep through.

The engineers are now experimenting with overhead cables suspended on solid steel posts, with special anti-trap bases.

"They still might beat us. Some of them are pretty air-minded and may develop wings as efficient as their teeth," one engineer said.

—Australian News Letter.

## Observation Car

By G. B.

ACCORDING to a Royal Oak reader, the caretaker at Beaver Lake found an abandoned dog with the following note attached to its collar: "I am a good dog. I have no home. The caretaker is good to me. He buys me bones. When I die I will remember him. I will leave him my bones."

A Fell Street reader reported seeing a city parks employee wearing an old skin coat and a sou'wester to keep himself dry while he watered a boulevard on a

often turns out to be the art of a man getting somebody else to do the jobs he does not like doing. They say that money talks, but it often seems to address persons in an almost inaudible whisper. Pungent points from the Progressive Conservative party declaration of policy: "The present cost of government is excessive and extravagant, and should be substantially reduced. The party denounces bureaucratic government by order-in-council, ministerial proclamation and department regulation. The Foreign Exchange Control Board has seriously harmed the Canadian economy. The Dominion should seek changes in international monetary fund regulations to permit orderly revaluation of currencies. Communist activities in Canada should be outlawed. Free enterprise with protection against monopoly and unfair competition is the only sound basis for personal liberty. Personal income tax exemption should be at least \$2,500 for married persons. Municipalities should be compensated for taxes lost by reason of ownership of Crown property. The \$2.50 radio licence fee should be abolished. The Crown should be just as liable as an individual in the courts. The Dominion has a responsibility for the provision of adequate housing."

## The Packsack

By GREGORY CLARK

MEN who scratch their heads habitually, my barber tells me, seldom grow bald.

You never saw bald-headed hoboes scratch their heads for a good reason. But there are many other men who have a nervous—or happy—habit of reaching up and scratching their pates whenever they are thinking, reflecting, or merely yawning and viewing the scenery. There is, we must admit, a head-scratching type which always has a good head of hair.

I suggested to my barber that maybe it was only hairy-headed men who scratched their heads. What incentive would a bald-headed man have for scratching that shiny knob?

"You rarely see," responded my barber, "a man completely bald, unless as the result of fever. Nearly all men who are bald on top have fairly good hair on the sides of their heads near their ears. They also have good eyebrows, can grow good beards and mustaches. This is due to the fact that the chewing and talking muscles exercise the skin around their ears, thus keeping the hair alive. Men who from a lot have the bushiest eyebrows. Men who talk a lot have the best mustaches and beards. It is exercise that keeps hair growing. And it is lack of exercise on the top of the head that causes baldness. In ancient times, when man was primitive, he was also crummy. From childhood on, he was always scratching his head. All you've got to do is watch a monkey for a little while to see what I mean. Ever see a bald-headed monkey?"

I had to confess I had not.

"Sanitation," decreed my barber, "is responsible for baldness. Since it is very unlikely that fleas will become fashionable again, the only cure for baldness is to add head-scratching to the calisthenics children are taught in the public schools. Head-scratching should be the mark of the gentleman with a thought for his personal appearance."—Canada Wide Feature Service Ltd.

## Today's Answer

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Total area is 1,304,903 square miles, or more than one-third of the total area of Canada. The Territories contain the land area of Canada north of the 60th parallel between Hudson Bay on the east and Yukon Territory on the west, and the islands lying between the mainland of Canada and the North Pole.

## Looking Back

Through Colonist Files

25 YEARS AGO—The Chamber of Commerce decided to recommend to the Associated Boards of Trade that the name of the Island should be changed to some other name than Vancouver.

50 YEARS AGO—The City of Tokpeka brings word from the north of an outbreak of the dread disease of scurvy in mining camps of Alaska. A score of miners are said to have perished.

85 YEARS AGO—The well-known steamer Caledonia was sold yesterday by Mr. J. A. McCrea for \$2,975. The new owners have not disclosed their intentions for the ship.



## Two Elderly Men Die as Fire Levels Old Yellowknife Hotel

YELLOWKNIFE, N.W.T., July 8 (CP)—Two elderly men perished in the flames early today as the Yellowknife Hotel, frame structure perched on top of the rock in old Yellowknife, was destroyed by fire.

Dead are George Saunders, pensioned printer formerly employed on Edmonton newspapers, and Carl Peterson, crippled prospector.

Injured and in hospital here are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Banks, suffering from slight burn shock and rope.

## Second Plane Turns Back Over Atlantic

NEW YORK, July 8 (AP)—A Pan American Airways Stratocruiser, the Seven Seas, returned here safely early today after engine trouble developed as the plane started on a flight to London. It was the second such incident in two days.

The Stratocruiser, with 47 passengers aboard including former United States Senator Mon C. Wallgren, landed at New York International airport about 30 minutes after the takeoff.

## Would Fight For U.S. Says Robinson

NEW YORK, July 8 (AP)—Jackie Robinson said today he would fight for the United States against Russia or "any aggressor."

And the negro first baseman of the Brooklyn Dodgers said he would be "very glad" to tell this to the House of Representatives Committee on Un-American Activities.

The committee has invited him to appear before it next week to dispute singer Paul Robeson's statement that American negroes would refuse to fight a war against the Soviet Union.

"Paul speaks only for himself," Robinson told a reporter. "Campy (Roy Campanella, his negro teammate on the Dodgers) and I would fight any aggressor, the Russians or any other nation."

"I've been treated very well. Anybody who wants to take away the thing I've gained will have to fight for it. I want my kid to have the things that I have."

## Noted Cartoonist Discovered Dead

NEW YORK, July 8 (INB)—H. H. Knerr, 67, Kings Feature Syndicate cartoonist noted for his "Katzman Kid" comic strip, was found dead today in his mid-town New York hotel room.

Knerr, who had been under treatment for a heart ailment, apparently died of natural causes.

## Veteran With Ailing Child Facing Eviction for Occupying Empty House

VANCOUVER, July 8 (CP)—Law books weigh more on justice's scales than the public's heart.

R.C.A.P. veteran Gordon C. Cook, 28, took three years to find this out and may cost him the health of his four-year-old boy to prove it.

Cook broke the judicial law last May when, in desperation, he moved into an empty house belonging to the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation in an attempt to save his ailing child from the ravages of rheumatic fever.

**DAMP BASEMENTS**

Forced by lack of accommodation to live in a series of river shacks, cockroach-ridden hotel rooms and damp basements, the veteran of four years' service watched his sick child until finally he could stand his nightly screams no longer.

He "squatted" in the empty house and defied all efforts to dislodge him in hopes that by some "miracle" the house might become his.

Now, there is an eviction order entered against him, but he has no intention of moving until forced out.

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R.C.M.P., who said the third party had been located. Both the men who were killed in the flames are said to be nearly 70 years of age.

Mr. Saunders, part-time employee of the Yellowknife newspaper, had been a resident of Yellowknife for four years. He had no relatives in the district.

## PIONEER IN NORTH

Mr. Peterson was a pioneer in the north country and was crippled as a result of a stroke. His body was found in a narrow flight of stairs at the rear of the building.

Fire is believed to have started at the rear of the building and rapidly engulfed the whole structure. The story, pieced together by survivors, is that Peterson, first awakened by the smell of smoke, aroused his room companion, Murray McDonald, who awoke other hotel guests but was unable to return to his room. Will Beaker, employee of the Bank of Toronto, here, leaped from an 18-foot window to rocks below.

He sustained minor bruises, but did not require medical attention. Arthur Murphy, another guest at the hotel, escaped injury.

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If they are turned down a second time they will probably be sent back to Antwerp when the Anunciada calls here again in five weeks.

## Recount Votes For Port Area

PORT ALBERNI, July 8.—An official and final count by William Johnstone, returning officer for the provincial election, showed that 7,599 ballots were cast in the district, of which 198 were spoiled.

Totals were: Christie, 1,638; Mowat, 3,293; Morgan, 637; and Whittall, 2,133.

## Car Firm Official Collapses, Dies

LOS ANGELES, July 8 (INB)—George Pratt of Detroit, vice-president of the Hudson Motor Company, collapsed and died today while he was making a speech before several hundred automobile dealers.

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## May Soon Lay Claim To Highest Fares

VANCOUVER, July 8 (CP)—Vancouver may soon lay claim to the dubious honor of having the highest transportation costs of any major Canadian city.

A recent application by the British Columbia Electric Co. if approved, will boost street car and bus fares to 10 cents a ride. Present cost is three for a quarter.

Comparison of fare rates in other Canadian cities shows Vancouver leading in the race for higher costs of transportation.

Toronto and Montreal still cling to the four-for-a-quarter rate, while Edmonton, at three for 25 cents, and Winnipeg, two for 15 cents, are still slightly in the rear.

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## Government Invites Six Steel Firms To Talks in Effort to Avert Strike

WASHINGTON, July 8 (INB)—The Government stepped up its effort today to head off a threatened steel strike by inviting six more companies to send representatives to its union-management conference in Washington Monday.

Federal Mediation Director Cyrus Ching sent the new invitations after C.I.O. President Philip Murray and U.S. Steel Corporation Vice-President John Stephens agreed to attend the meeting.

Ching acted to broaden the conference as the strike threat hung over the giant steel industry, and negotiations were broken down with no apparent hope of compromise unless the Government stepped in.

The C.I.O. steel workers' union, of which Murray also is president, not only seeks a fourth-round wage increase, but a pension plan.

U.S. Steel has balked at both proposals and Stephens in a statement early this week, said that meeting the union demands at the present time is out of the question.

## Name Island After Prince

OTTAWA, July 8 (CP)—Bonnie Prince Charlie, Princess Elizabeth's baby, has given his name to a remote Canadian Arctic island.

The island, lying in the lee of Baffin Island some 850 miles northeast of Churchill, Man., has been officially named Prince Charles Island by the Geographic Board, final arbiter of Canadian place names.

## Fir Plywood Price Cut 15 Per Cent

VANCOUVER, July 8 (CP)—A 15 per cent reduction in the domestic price of Douglas fir plywood was announced today by H. R. MacMillan, president of the H. R. MacMillan Export Company, Limited.

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## Wedding of Wide Interest Held at Fairfield United

A wedding of wide interest both in the province and in the interior of the province was solemnized in Fairfield United Church last evening at 8:30 o'clock, when Lillian Barbara Richards, 1414 Fairfield Road, Victoria, became the bride of Raymond Ashur Paine, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Paine of Creston, B.C.

Rev. W. Allan read the nuptial service. Mr. C. C. Warren presided at the organ and during the ceremony played "Ave Maria." The church was decorated with masses of pink and white stocks and delphiniums with colonial bouquets marking the guest pews.

The pretty bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin, cut on Elizabethan lines with fitted bodice, straight neckline and long sleeves coming to a point over the hands. The waistline came to a point in front ending in pleats at the back and the skirt was very full. Her embroidered full-length veil was held by a tiara headdress of orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of red roses, gardenias and stephanotis. To complete her ensemble she wore a strand of pearls.

Miss Phyllis Wright, maid of honor, and Miss Marilyn Richards, sister of the bride, were the attendants wearing identical gowns of turquoise green and pink brocade with slightly off-the-shoulder neckline, with full skirts. They wore half mitts and short matching veils held by scalloped headpieces trimmed with artificial roses.

Mr. Harry Powell was best man and Mr. Stuart Evans, Mr. Leonard Cannon and Mr. Jim Beveridge were the ushers.

During the signing of the register Miss Corrine Hemming sang "I Love Thee."

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the larger lounge at the Empress Hotel where the young couple received their guests before the three-piece which was banked with pink and white stocks and carnations and ferns. Mrs. Richards, wearing a grey crepe afternoon dress with pink accessories and corsage of roses, and Mrs. Paine, who also wore grey with a corsage of yellow roses, assisted in receiving the guests. Mr. Ernest Evans presided the toast to the bride. During the evening Mr. Bert Zala played piano selections.

A four-tier, round wedding cake, encircled with blossoms, centred the table which was covered with a pale green tablecloth and pale pink apers.

For a motor trip through British Columbia and Creston, returning back to the United States, the bride wore a smart French blue double-breasted suit with full fitted honey-colored topcoat with matching hat trimmed with two feathers and navy

## Parties Honor Bride-Elect

Miss Rachael Woodward, whose marriage to Mr. Dick Fryer takes place this week, has been honored when friends and associates entertained for her. Gifts for a kitchen shower were presented to her in a clothes basket decorated in pink and white, when members of the Young Women's Missionary Class of Oaklands Gospel Hall gathered at the home of Mrs. George Inrig, 1147 Camrose Crescent, recently. Roses and sweet peas in corsage were received by Miss Woodward and her mother. About 25 guests were present.

Fellow members on the staff of Sidney Elementary School where Miss Woodward has been teaching, and several former members, honored her at the tea hour at the home of the principal, Mrs. B. Christian, Third Street, Sidney. A brass companion-set for the first time to the Chapter by Mrs. Fred Crofton and family. Over 418 was realized.

Mrs. Ken Easton was hostess to nearly 40 friends in compliment to Miss Woodward when she was presented with a torchere lamp accompanied by a corsage of yellow roses. Her mother, Mrs. Wilfred Woodward, and Mrs. Arthur Fryer, mother of the groom-elect, also received floral tokens.

A shower of canned goods was given for Miss Woodward by her pupils of Grade III, Sidney School. The useful gifts were brought in on a wagon decorated in blue and gold, the school colors. That evening the young people of Oaklands Gospel Hall honored her and Mr. Dick Fryer, the groom-elect. The president, Mr. Charles Ellington, presented them with a mangle mirror. Later a program of reflections and songs by Misses Allison Woodward and Lillian Easton, Miss Dorothy Jealous, Mr. C. Ellington, Misses Betty Alken and Noel Jenner, and Miss Joy Bagshaw was enjoyed. Refreshments were served from a lace-covered table centred with sweet peas and lighted by pink candles. About 35 guests were present.

Miss Woodward and Mr. Fryer were presented with a handsome table lamp when about 15 friends gathered at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fryer, 259 Menzies Street, recently.

## Engagements

Mrs. Edith Robertson, Cobble Hill, announces the engagement of her eldest daughter, Hazel Jean, to Lloyd William, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, Highland Avenue, Duncan. The wedding will take place on July 15, 1949, at 8 o'clock in the United Baptist Church on Yates Street, Duncan.

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at The Colonial Advertising Department. Minimum charge for 10 lines and 10 for each additional line.

## Anderson-Hitchcox Bridal Party



Mr. and Mrs. E. U. (Ted) Anderson pictured with their attendants following their marriage at St. Luke's Church on Thursday evening. From left to right: Miss J. B. Anderson, R.C.N.V.R., who was best man for his brother; the bride and groom; Miss Mary Hitchcox, daughter of Mrs. C. Hitchcox, 1743 Lee Avenue, and the late Mr. S. J. Hitchcox; and the groom is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Anderson, Gordon Head.

Camp at Sooke on July 2. Guide meetings will be resumed in September.

## Salt Spring News

A tea, organized by the Vesuvius Bay Circle of the Salt Spring Island Women's Auxiliary, under the sponsorship of Mrs. A. E. Duke and Miss M. Harrington, took place recently at "Tantamar," kindly lent for the occasion by Miss Emily Smith and Miss Harrington.

In a lovely setting overlooking the sea a delightful tea was served at attractively arranged tables and, by the kindness of Capt. George Maude, arrangements were made whereby the Cy Peck, on her weekly excursion, could stop over during the afternoon, enabling several of the guests to attend.

The sum of \$40.30 was realized for the funds of the Circle.

## LITTLE HELPER ANNUAL PARTY

The Annual Party for Little Helpers, sponsored by the Salt Spring Island branch of the W.A., was held recently at Ganges under the general convener'ship of Mrs. H. A. Robinson. A short service was held by Ven. G. H. Holmes at St. George's Church, when the children turned in their gifts, the contents of which amounted to \$155. Games were played out of doors and afterwards, at a long rose-decorated table in the Parish Room, eighteen Little Helpers sat down to tea, several parents and friends also being present. Following tea the Vicar showed a series of moving pictures.

## ST. MARY'S GUILD

The Quarterly meeting of St. Mary's Guild, Fulford Harbor, was held recently at "Roseneath," the home of Misses Gladys and Cree Shaw with the vice-president, Mrs. C. E. Ley, in the chair and Ven. G. H. Holmes taking the devotional period.

Definite arrangements were made for the repairing and sanding of the church floor, the work to be done by Mr. Albert Milner early in July. The date of the Annual Garden Fete at "Roseneath" has been changed from July 6 to Friday, July 8, when the members will be in charge of stalls for fancy and plain needlework, home cooking, fruit and vegetables, candy, ice cream and a Savarin counter; tea will be served by Miss Gladys Shaw and games and competitions will be held in the grounds.

Tea was served during the afternoon by Mrs. Harold Price and Mrs. Cecil Ley.

## L.O.D.E. GARDEN DAY

Sponsored by the Ganges Chapter, L.O.D.E., the Annual Garden Day was held last Friday afternoon, when several residents of Salt Spring and their friends took the opportunity of visiting some of the island's attractive gardens. The tour started soon after 1 o'clock and gardens visited included those of Mrs. Desmond Crofton, Mrs. Kenneth Butterfield, Mrs. Scot Clarke, Mrs. W. L. Gardner, Mrs. C. E. Baker, Mrs. H. A. Robinson, Mrs. Hartley Wilson and Mrs. Bishop Wilson.

Tea, provided by the members, was served under the convener'ship of Mrs. E. Adams and Mrs. George St. Denis at Harbor House, kindly lent to the Chapter by Mrs. Fred Crofton and family. Over \$18 was realized.

## HOSPITAL W.A.

The W.A. to the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital met recently in the Board Room of the Institution when a large amount of sewing and mending was accomplished. The president, Mrs. George St. Denis, was in the chair and the treasurer's report showed a balance of \$113.38.

Work has been started on the cupboard for supplies in the Board Room and it was decided that there would be no meeting until September 27.

## GUIDE NOTES

Last Saturday afternoon a home cooking class, organized by the Salt Spring Island Girl Guides, was held under the convener'ship of Ann Nicholson and Joan McDonald at Mount Bros. Store, Ganges.

The Patrol competition was won by the Poppy Patrol, under Joan McDonald, with the Oriels a close second and the Bantams, third.

Second class badges were presented last Tuesday, at the final meeting of the season, to Wilma McGill and Anne Butterfield.

Guides Joan McDonald, Ann Nicholson, Shirley Sylvester, Connie Coles, Pat Petersen, were among those who went to the Divisional

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## Clubs and Societies

A tea, organized by the South Salt Spring Women's Institute, was held recently at the home of Mrs. J. French, Fulford Harbor. A miscellaneous stall was in charge of Mrs. C. E. Kinder and Mrs. C. Mollet. Mrs. French conducted a nail guessing competition which was won by Mrs. R. Maxwell and the winner of a word guessing competition, conducted by Mrs. A. W. W. and Mrs. A. E. Mortenson, was won by the latter. The first prize for the best white bread went to Mrs. E. Forsen, second, Mrs. Kinder, third, Mrs. French. Brown bread, first, Mrs. A. Davis; second, Mrs. A. C. Lee. The winner for white bread made from flour of any variety was Mrs. Townsend, second, Mrs. Davis.

The sum of \$15.00 was realized.

## Successful Bazaar

The Women's Auxiliary to the Prince Edward Branch of the Canadian Legion held a successful bazaar in the Legion clubrooms on Wednesday. Mrs. David Swan, provincial president, formally opened the affair and was presented with a corsage of roses by Barbara Glenn.

Mrs. J. B. Bell, president of the auxiliary, was similarly honored. Those in charge of the various stalls were Mrs. C. Rezac, needlework; Mrs. C. Carnegie and Mrs. W. Miller, home cooking; Mrs. Maxine Fraser, pop and ice cream. Refreshments were served under the convener'ship of Mrs. R. Fraser and Mr. R. Thompson looked after the contents.

The L.A. to the F.O.E. Aerie No. 12, met on Tuesday with Mrs. M. Carver in the chair. It was announced that the annual visit to the Solarium would be made today with buses leaving the Eagles Hall at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. M. Bennett read a report on the State Auxiliary convention held in Seattle on July 1, 2 and 3 following which it was decided to take steps toward organizing a Provincial Auxiliary in British Columbia. Mrs. M. Wyber was named convener of the Fall bazaar.

Mrs. A. Barracough, president, W.B.A. Review No. 1, was honored by fellow members following the regular meeting recently in K. of P. Hall. A large birthday cake centred the supper table and good wishes were expressed to the celebrant.

During the business session a moment's silence was observed in memory of Mrs. Robina Hill. Plans for a card party to be held at the home of Mrs. H. Graas, 1310 Slater Street, at 8 p.m., July 13, were made. Those

desiring further information are asked to call E 7762. The Pioneers will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Pollard, 1025 Falmonth Road. A drill practice was held. The next meeting will be July 18.

## Miss Jean Smith Weds B. E. Lytton

Miss Jean (Johnny) Maitland Smith, R.N., and Mr. Brian Claude Lytton exchanged marriage vows at a quiet ceremony performed in the Vestry of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on July 6, at 8 p.m., with Rev. Dr. J. R. Johns officiating at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mrs. William Smith, 1507 Athlone Drive, and the late Mr. Smith, wore a grey suit with navy and red accessories and a corsage of red and white carnations.

Miss Mary A. Smith, who attended her sister, wore a rose suit with white accessories with a corsage of white roses. Mr. Sara Martin was best man for the groom who is the son of Mrs. L. C. Lytton, 1941 Ernest Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lytton left by car to motor up-Island to stay at Sunset Inn, Qualicum Beach. On their return they will reside in Victoria until the groom resumes his law studies at the University of British Columbia in the Fall.

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## Social and Personal

Mrs. George SHAW of Yakima has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Taylor of Langford.

Mrs. Robert Rutherford of Winnipeg, is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Rezac, at Langford.

Out-of-town guests at the Fryer-Woodward nuptials last evening at Oaklands Gospel Hall were Mr. and Mrs. E. Scott, Surrey, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Stoneburg, Vancouver.

Mr. George Bradley has arrived from Hamilton, Ont., to spend his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bradley, 165 Cadillac Avenue.

Mr. Ted Freedy of Ottawa, has arrived in Victoria and is a guest of Mr. Pat Hayward, Glasgow Avenue. He will attend the Hayward-Chant wedding this evening at St. John's Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duncan and young son, Douglas Marr, have returned to their home in Yakima, Wash., after visiting Mr. Duncan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Duncan, 2528 Cavendish Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Crosher of Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire, England, are visiting relatives in British Columbia and at present are staying with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Riley, 548 Victoria Avenue.

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## Ladysmith Children Leave for White Rock

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Prior to recessing for the Summer, at a recent meeting Laurel roll certificate from the Association of Rebekah Assemblies, for the fourth year in succession—Mrs. Margaret Duncan, newly appointed

district deputy president, had the honor of presenting the award to her home lodge.

BERE ALSTON, Devonshire, England (C.P.)—Strawberry growers in the Tamar Valley, dividing Devon and Cornwall, are having the finest season in ten years.

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## Urges Continued Effort To Get Foreign Markets

MONTREAL, July 8 (CP).—The Canadian Chamber of Commerce said today that sale of Canadian manufactured goods in the sterling area is "dropping at an alarming rate" and it called on the Government for "continued effort by the Government to clear the way for private trading in foreign markets."

**NOT ENTIRE SOLUTION**  
The chamber, in a statement prepared by its foreign trade committee, said it does not suggest that the solution of all Canada's economic ills will be found within Canada.

It "does believe that a greater measure of understanding and co-operation between Government and business in the foreign trade field will result in more energetic and effective Canadian trading abroad."

It urged the necessity of "continued support for governmental and business endeavors to restore multilateral trade among nations."

The chamber said a chief obstacle to private trading is the prevalence of bilateral deals resulting from the inconvertibility of currencies.

### URGES PROMOTION

"The committee commends the Government for its efforts to increase the sale of primary products in the sterling area. It is hoped, however, that more can be done to promote, in that area, the sale of Canadian manufactured goods, which is now dropping at an alarming rate."

"The committee believes that no effort should be spared by the Government in eradicating the 'invisible tariff' in the form of restrictive and arbitrary practices in customs administration which constitute a barrier to trade, particularly with the United States."

## 'Sneak Thief' Raiding Park Garden

Parks Administrator W. H. Warren said yesterday that his staff is laying for a "sneak thief" who has been raiding flower beds at the entrance to Beacon Hill Park to the north of Coombs Lake and digging up large numbers of plants.

Throughout the Spring and early Summer the thief has been raiding flower beds at the entrance to Beacon Hill Park to the north of Coombs Lake and digging up large numbers of plants. Among plants taken were wallflowers, pansies, and roses. Recently sinners have been disappearing.

Mr. Warren said it is believed the thefts are being perpetrated by one person anxious to augment his own garden.

## Red Documents Taken in Raid In Australia

SYDNEY, Australia, July 8 (AP).—Two truck loads of the Australian Communist Party's documents and files today were seized by police in a raid reported aimed at tracing labor union funds which might be used to aid striking coal miners.

Marx House, the party's headquarters, was searched by a party of 50 officers, including both uniformed men and plainclothes investigators. They said no large sum of money was found.

**SEEK \$173,000**  
A Government source in Canberra said the police sought \$173,000 (\$173,000) withdrawn recently from banking accounts of unions. The Government ordered freezing of all union funds last week to prevent the unions from aiding Australia's 24,000 striking coal miners financially.

The unions were directed by an arbitration court to turn the money over to the court. None so far has done so. Two union officials have been jailed as a result.

A six-month sentence was passed today upon Leslie J. McPherson, acting federal secretary of the Communist-influenced Iron Workers' Association, for contempt of court after he refused to disclose the whereabouts of \$25,000 drawn from the association's bank account. The association itself was fined \$1,000. About 6,000 Sydney dock workers walked off the job in protest.

## U.K. Output Of Atom Bomb Said in Sight

WASHINGTON, July 8 (AP).—British production of atomic bombs, forecast by a top-ranking American authority, would give the Western democracies a double-barreled weapon.

It would enable military planners of the United States and Britain to revamp an important segment of the strategy underlying the Atlantic Pact. From then on, there would be two atomic arsenals from which to draw.

**U.S. SOLE PRODUCER**  
Britain, however, may not be able to begin production of atom bombs for some time. Meanwhile, the United States alone must be the sole producer and user of the mass-destruction weapon.

Robert F. Bacher, former atomic energy commissioner and a physicist who worked on the first atom bomb, told the Joint Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy this week that Britain is settling about production of fissionable material.

He added: "I believe it is only a question of time until they do produce bombs."

**COLLABORATED IN WAR**  
Both British and Canadian atomic scientists collaborated with the United States in steps leading to manufacture of the first atomic bomb, Bacher said.

But there has been no direct collaboration on atomic weapons since the United States set up strong security regulations in 1945 along with the Atomic Energy Commission.

Thus it appears Britain can have no knowledge of the new type of American atomic bomb referred to yesterday by Brig.-Gen. James McCormack, director of A.E.C.'s military application division—unless British scientists have paralleled the research efforts of the U.S. during the last year or two.

## Violation of Game Laws Results in Fines of \$60

Five of six persons who appeared before A. J. Thomas, J.P., in Provincial Police Court yesterday, charged with infringements of fishing and game laws, were fined a total of \$60.

The charges were laid by Victoria game wardens in a crackdown on infringements in this area.

Phyllis Burr, 321 1/2 Fort Street, received a suspended sentence when she pleaded guilty to fishing in Shawanigan Lake without a licence. Fined \$60.

Robert Robertson, 1750 St. Ann Street, was assessed a total of \$30 and \$50 costs when he pleaded guilty to two charges of fishing without a licence and with fish roe in Goldstream.

**ALSO NO LICENCE**  
Christopher Wilkins, 332 Belkirk Avenue, pleaded guilty to fishing without a licence and was fined \$10 and \$3 costs.

John D. Smith, 2506 Shakespeare Street, pleaded guilty to using three lines from one boat while fishing at Shawanigan Lake and was fined \$10 and \$3 costs.

Jean Siddick, Bay Street, pleaded guilty to fishing in Duran Lake without a licence. She was fined \$10 and \$3 costs.

## 37-Year Resident Of Victoria Dies

Mrs. Edith Montgomery, 1633 Fort Street, a resident of Victoria for 37 years, died yesterday at Royal Jubilee Hospital. She was 93.

Born in Woodstock, Ont., Mrs. Montgomery was the widow of the late John George Montgomery.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. A. S. Lock, and a grandson, J. G. M. Lock, both of Victoria.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. from the Thompson Funeral Home. Rev. Emma M. Smiley will officiate. Burial will take place in the family plot, Royal Oak Burial Park.

## Overhaul Mill

CHEMUNUS, July 8.—The Victoria Lumber Co. Ltd., sawmill is being overhauled while a large number of employees are enjoying a week's holiday with pay.

## Truman Asks \$928,000 Cut In Budget for Armed Services

WASHINGTON, July 8 (INS).—President Truman today recommended that Congress slash the armed services budget by \$928,000,000—mostly at the expense of the air force.

The President recommended the economy cut in a White House conference with Chairman Tydings (Dem., Md.) of the Senate armed services committee.

Tydings said Mr. Truman expressed strong opposition to a plan of the House armed services committee to continue the air force's present 54 groups, instead of reducing it to 48 groups. The President recommended a 48-group air force in his budget.

**54-GROUP FORCE**  
The House would provide funds for a 54-group air force by using \$900,000,000 budgeted for universal military training.

Tydings said he agreed entirely with the President. He added: "Some people have been yelling for economy. The President wants to economize wherever he can and

### PLACE TO SLASH

"There is about \$15,000,000,000 in the expenditures budget for the military. That is where we want to make a cut."

At present the air force has 54 groups, although it has met the President's recommendation by slashing its personnel to 420,000,000—enough for 48 full-strength groups. Some of the 54 groups are under strength and little more than skeleton outfits.

When the President's 48-group budget was presented to Congress the air force had 50 groups and was scheduled to expand to 56. A cut of five groups was made April 1.

There now are 17 bomber, 33 fighter, six strategic reconnaissance, one tactical reconnaissance and seven troop carrier groups, most of them occupy separate bases.

## British-Israel World Federation (Canada)

TUESDAY JULY 12, 8:00 P.M.  
NEWPORT REALTY HALL  
224 Fort Street  
Speaker: MRS. G. E. ALTHEA COLEY  
(Mrs. Coley has just returned after returning for three years to the British Isles.)  
Headquarters and Bookroom  
1114 Quebec Street—Phone 6791  
Secretary's Phone: G 9031

## CHRISTADELPHIAN

ORANGE HALL, 700 COURTNEY ST.  
PUBLIC LECTURE, 7:30 P.M.  
Subject: "KING DAVID AND US"  
Opening meeting 11 o'clock. Sunday school 9:45 a.m.

# Sunday Church Services

**Anglican**  
**CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL**  
There will be celebrations of Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. The morning service, 11 o'clock, will be attended by members of the Loyal Orange Association. The Dean will be the preacher at this service and again at Evensong, 7:30 p.m.

**ST. JOHN'S**  
Canon R. J. Pierce, Warden of St. John's College at Winnipeg, will be in charge for July in the rector's absence. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Sunday school at 11 a.m. Organ preludes at 7:10 p.m.

**ST. MARY'S**  
Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m. Archdeacon A. E. Nunn will preach at 11 a.m. Oak Bay Boy Scouts will attend this service. Archdeacon Nunn will also preach at Evensong, 7 p.m.

**OTHER SERVICES**  
St. Mark's, Cloverdale—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m. Canon R. Willis.  
St. Svalour's, Victoria West—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7:30 p.m. Rev. Douglas Kendall.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Sunday Eucharist, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7:30 p.m. Rev. F. Pike.  
St. Peter's, Mission, Reidville Road, Lake Hill—Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m. Evensong, 7:30 p.m. Rev. F. Pike.

St. George's, Cadboro Bay—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins and sermon, 11 a.m. Preacher, Rev. William Hills, Summer Evensong, 7:30 p.m. address, Brian Freeland, Rev. William Hills.  
St. David's-by-the-Sea, Cordova Bay—Morning Prayer, 11 a.m. Rev. C. B. Price.  
St. Martin's-in-the-Fields—Choral Communion, 11:15 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m. Rev. S. J. Wickens.

View Royal—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins, 10 a.m. Rev. S. J. Wickens.  
St. John's, Colwood—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. Canon I. J. Jones. Rev. H. J. Jones.  
St. Matthew's, Langford—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m.

**CHURCHES**  
**CHRISTADELPHIAN**  
Christadelphian, Royal Bank Hall, corner Cook and Cook Streets, Sunday morning, 11 o'clock. Lecture, 7:30 p.m.  
**GOSPEL HALLS**  
Bethesda Gospel Hall, 1900 Oak Bay Avenue, corner Davis, Sunday at 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. Lord's Supper, 7:30 p.m. Gospel service, speaker, Mr. Frank, 9 p.m. Young People's meeting, Wednesday at 8 p.m. Ministry meeting, Mr. Neil Fraser.

**LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 804 Kildar Road, Sunday school, 10 a.m. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Phone 1162. Everybody welcome.

**LUTHERAN**  
Hope Lutheran Church—Mo. Synod, "A Church of the Lutheran Hour," Pottery Avenue and Chambers Street (off Cook Street), 10:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. Divine service cancelled for July 10. Rev. L. H. Gierach, pastor.

**SALVATION ARMY**  
The Salvation Army, Victoria West Corps, Calverley and Edwards Streets. Welcome meetings to new officers, Major and Mrs. O. A. Volney, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. All services at 40th corner Pandora Ave. and Vancouver St. Pastor, G 1442.

**SOCIETY OF FRIENDS**  
Society of Friends (Quakers), 1831 Fern Street, off Cook, Sunday meeting for worship, 11 a.m. Visitors are welcome.

**SPIRITUALIST**  
First United Spiritual Church, E. of P. Hall, 723 Commercial Street, Sunday, 7:30 p.m. guest speaker, Miss Eileen Newman. Address subject: "The Challenge" (message to follow). Address: Mrs. McDonald.

**Fairfield United Church**  
Five Points, Pastor, Rev. W. Allan Stuart, Director, Charles Palmer, A.R.C.O. 10:30—Sunday School  
11:00—"Lentillegance: Raising the Living"—D. Salter  
7:30—"Will You Also Go Away?"  
Prayer Led by New Writers Group. Visitors Always Cordially Welcome.

**SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST**  
Seventh-Day Adventist Sabbath services (Saturday), Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m. public worship, 11 a.m. Young People, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, prayer meeting, 7:30 p.m. All services at 40th corner Pandora Ave. and Vancouver St. Pastor, G 1442.

**UNITED CHURCH**  
Unitarian, 11 a.m.—"THE RIVER OF LIFE" 7:30 P.M.—"THE BIG FISHMAN" (Lloyd C. Douglas)  
Soliloist for the Day: Mrs. D. J. Butler. Strangers and Visitors Cordially Welcome.

**CENTENNIAL UNITED CHURCH**  
Gorge Road, Near Government Street. Minister, Rev. W. Ray Ashford, B.A. 11:00 A.M.—"The Joy of Suffering" Soliloist: Mrs. T. Benard  
7:30 P.M.—"Swimming Against the Current" Soliloist: Mrs. S. Benard  
9:45 A.M.—Adult Bible Class  
11:00 A.M.—Sunday School  
Visitors and Strangers Welcome.

**OAK BAY UNITED CHURCH**  
Mitchell and Granite. Minister, W. McPherson, B.A. O.T. Guest Organist: Mrs. E. Bartlett 11 A.M.—"THE RIVER OF LIFE" 7:30 P.M.—"THE BIG FISHMAN" (Lloyd C. Douglas)  
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**BELMONT**  
Rev. C. R. McGilivray will preach at 11 a.m. on the sermon theme "Witnessing for Christ" and at 7:30 p.m. on "Spiritual Foundations."

**Presbyterian**  
**ST. ANDREW'S**  
Rev. Clare E. Tallman, minister of the First Presbyterian Church of Pueblo, Colorado, will be the guest preacher for the next three Sundays. The morning subject will be "The Elder Brother" and the evening "Men Ought Always to Pray."

**ST. PAUL'S**  
Rev. Alexander Orr will preach at 11 a.m. on the sermon theme "Men Ought Always to Pray" and at 7:30 p.m. on "Finding God."

**Baptist**  
**FIRST**  
Rev. E. H. Smith of Oregon will be the guest preacher at 11 a.m. when he will speak on "All of Religion—In Two Words" and at 7:30 p.m. on "Tempted, Like as We Are."

**CENTENNIAL**  
Rev. W. R. Ashford will speak in the morning on the subject "The Joy of Suffering," and in the evening on "Swimming Against the Current." The adult Bible class and Sunday school will continue to meet during the Summer months.

**ST. ADAM'S**  
Rev. T. G. Griffiths will preach in the morning on the subject "Our Lamps Have Gone Out" and in the evening on "A Highway Shall Be There."

**OAK BAY**  
Rev. W. W. McPherson will preach in the morning on the sermon theme "The River of Life" and in the evening he has chosen Lloyd C. Douglas' well-known story "The Big Fisherman."

**THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**  
**HOLY COMMUNION**  
8 A.M. and 9:30 A.M.  
**MATINS—11 A.M.**  
Preacher: THE DEAN  
**EVENSONG—7:30 P.M.**  
Preacher: THE DEAN

**ST. JOHN'S**  
Quadra, near Pandora  
Rev. George Biddle, Rector  
8 A.M.—Holy Communion  
11 A.M.—Morning Service  
Canon R. J. Pierce, B.A., B.D., D.D., Warden of St. John's College, Winnipeg.

7:10 P.M.—Organ Preludes, Frederick Chubb, B.A., Mus. Bac., F.R.C.O.  
Scherzo (Symphony in G Minor), (Lemare)  
Theme Varice (Hue)  
7:30 P.M.  
Preacher, Canon R. J. Pierce  
11 A.M.—Sunday School

**St. Mary's Church**  
High Road, Oak Bay  
Holy Communion—8:30 A.M.  
Matins and Sermon—11 A.M.  
Preacher: Archdeacon A. E. Nunn  
Oak Bay Boy Scouts Will Attend  
Evensong and Organ—7 P.M.  
Preacher: Archdeacon A. E. Nunn

**ST. GEORGE'S**  
Cadboro Bay  
415 SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY  
8 A.M.—Holy Communion  
11 A.M.—MATINS AND SERMON  
"PIECES OF EIGHT"  
REV. WILLIAM HILLS  
7:30 P.M.—SUMMER EVENSONG  
ADDRESS: BRIAN FREELAND, B.A. CHAIRMAN, and TRISTAN, Toronto, Ontario  
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YOUR SUNDAY IS A HOLY DAY AS WELL AS A HOLIDAY—REMEMBER!

**ST. SAVIOUR'S**  
(Service Victoria West)  
Take Bitter Equivalents or Victoria West Bus  
8 A.M.—HOLY COMMUNION  
11 A.M.—MATINS  
(Infants and children to six years will be cared for by an experienced staff while parents attend church)  
7:30 P.M.—EVENSONG  
A series of Church Hymn Addresses on the history of the Church of God will be given each Evening  
3—"Can Ye Drink of the Cup?" (A Study of 1st Century Martyrdom)

**St. Barnabas Church**  
Corner Cook and Caladonia  
**FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**  
Holy Communion - - - 8:00 A.M.  
Bible Mass - - - 11:00 A.M.  
Evensong - - - 7:30 P.M.  
Holy Communion Daily at 7:30 A.M. Except Wednesdays 8 A.M. and Friday 9:30 A.M.  
Rev. E. Munn, Rector

**First Church of Christ, Scientist**  
CHAMBERS ST. and PANDORA AVE.  
A Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts  
**SUNDAY SERVICES**  
11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.  
Subject: "SACRAMENT"  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
11 A.M.  
**FESTIVAL MEETING**  
Wednesday, 8 P.M.  
FREE PUBLIC READING-ROOM  
805 LAKEVIEW STREET  
415 YATES STREET  
ALL ARE WELCOME  
Christian Science continues 675-7600-7601 every Sunday at 2:00 P.M. and every Tuesday at 8:00 A.M.  
"The Mother View the Power" Over E.R. 160-162 every Tuesday at 8:00 A.M.

**Central Baptist**  
"We Preach Christ Crucified, Risen and Coming Again"  
Pandora Avenue - J. B. ROWELL, Pastor  
Morning Worship at 11. Speaker: A. E. Harrison. Message: "Lord, Is It I?"  
7:30—Gospel Service. Song Service at 7:15.  
**MARINE MEDICAL MISSION AND MUSIC**  
Represented by "Cap" C. F. Stabbert, noted organist, who will officiate at the organ with special music; DR. LINDSAY McCLENNY, M.D., of Seattle, speaker; and Rev. Percy Willis. Hear the story of the mission boat "Willis Shank," and the Gospel presented in music and message.

**Emmanuel Baptist Church**  
Fernwood and Gladstone  
Rev. W. L. McKay, B.A., B.D., Pastor  
DR. ANDREW D. SAID WILL PREACH  
MORNING AND EVENING  
Soliloist in the Morning: Mrs. Jean Trotter  
Sunday School—9:45 A.M.  
Primary—11 A.M.

**Gorge Presbyterian Church**  
Take Gorge Road to Tillamook Road  
9:45 A.M.—Sunday School  
11:00 A.M.—"Interview With Jesus"  
7:30 P.M.—"Moved With Compassion"  
Special Music  
REV. T. R. McALLISTER, Minister

**St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church**  
DOWNTOWN—DOUGLAS ST. at BROOKSTON  
Minister: Rev. J. L. W. McLean, B.A.  
Guest Preacher  
REV. C. E. TALLMAN, B.A., B.D., of Pueblo, Colorado  
11:00 A.M.—"THE ELDER BROTHER"  
7:30 P.M.—"MEN OUGHT ALWAYS TO PRAY"  
We Welcome Visitors

**VICTORIA TRUTH CENTRE**  
**Church of the Healing Word**  
MINISTER: REV. EMMA M. SMILEY  
During the Summer There Will Be Only Sunday Service at 11  
1301 FORT STREET

**THE SALVATION ARMY CHURCH**  
707 Pandora Avenue  
MAJOR AND MRS. FRED ROWNEY, Saturday, 8 P.M.—Prize Service  
SUNDAY  
11 A.M.—Holiness Meeting  
7:30 P.M.—Evangelistic Service  
9:45 A.M.—Sunday School  
8:45 P.M.—Join the Crowd, Corner Douglas and  
A Hearty Welcome to All  
Yates, Eventide Open-Air Service

**KINGDOM MINISTRY (BRITISH ISRAEL)**  
Speaker: MR. TOM JOLLY  
Subject: "CIVILIZATION ON TRIAL"  
Verdict: FOUND WANTING!  
SUNDAY, 7:30 P.M.—NEWSTAD HALL, 124 FORT ST.

**EVANGELISTIC TEMPLE**  
1415 BLANCKHARD STREET (at Pandora Avenue)  
11 A.M.—DEVOTION  
7:30 P.M.—EVANGELISTIC RALLY  
Good Music—Housing Song Service—Old-Time Gospel Message—All Welcome  
Pastors E. A. and Elsie Reynolds

**ALLIANCE GOSPEL TABERNACLE**  
Rev. B. Webster, Pastor  
8:45 A.M. "SUNDAY SCHOOL"  
7:30 P.M.—"GREAT EVANGELISTIC SERVICE"  
A Festival to Jesus Willa. Special Invitation to Teachers  
"You Will Always Find a Big Warm Welcome Awaits You"

**MR. NEIL FRASER**  
WILL PREACH THE GOSPEL  
SUNDAY AT 7:30 P.M.  
**BETHESDA GOSPEL HALL**  
1900 OAK BAY AVE.—Corner Davis

**Open Door Spiritualist Church**  
1008 COOK STREET  
11:00 P.M.—DOUBLE ORATION (BRAMMONT) by MR. AND MRS. S. MOORE of WINNIPEG  
by REV. ELAINE RAY of VANCOUVER  
Also CHRISTENING CEREMONY by REV. WALTER HOLDER, Pastor  
Healing Meeting Thursday, 8 P.M.

**Glad Tidings Tabernacle**  
(Pentecostal)  
Rev. E. W. Robinson, Pastor - 842 North Park Street  
9:45 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL  
Sunday: 11:00 A.M.—MISS E. RUSSETT, guest speaker  
7:30 P.M.—SPECIAL EVANGELISTIC SERVICE with the YOUNG PEOPLE in charge.  
Weeknight Meetings: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday.  
Visitors Are Cordially Invited to the Services



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**7:30 SUNDAY EVENING in the Park**  
You are invited to hear the Gospel in Song and Story under the Trees that show forth the Glory of God. This Sunday the service will be conducted by the  
**CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
for  
**The GIDEONS**  
The one who put Bibles in homes and Testaments in the hands of our school children.

**British-Israel World Federation (Canada)**  
TUESDAY JULY



# Says Harbor Failings Keep Ships From City

Marine News

Large flotillas of yachts and luxury cruisers have been steering clear of Victoria because of the inadequate harbor facilities here, Walter S. Miles, Chamber of Commerce president, said yesterday.

Many of the larger pleasure craft "As Victoria harbor is now condition, it is not safe for them to enter," he said.

In Cadboro Bay or at least clear of Victoria altogether. Most of them have been forced to move because the water there was not deep enough for them.

As a result of such inconveniences, he went on, many yachts which would normally call here have lately been giving Victoria a wide berth.

"These are big boats," Mr. Miles said yesterday. "There is no doubt that they would have left a good many United States dollars in Victoria."

He branded present harbor dredging operations as "completely inadequate."

He criticized the Federal Government for ignoring a ten-point harbor improvement program the Victoria Chamber, with City Council endorsement, sent to Ottawa five years ago.

"All that has been done on that program so far," Mr. Miles complained "are the fishermen's floats."

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In "RETURN OF WILDFIRE"

Also RODDY McDOWELL in "TUNA CLIPPER"

BOSTON BLACKIE'S CHINESE VENTURE

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Transient accommodations with private bath. Victoria's little bit of old England. See the baronial hall with its 17th century armor and furniture. Real English breakfasts, luncheons, teas, dinners served daily. Wedding receptions specially catered and arranged.

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IN PERSON WITH

"CHAMPION"

WONDER HORSE, AND A CAST OF 20 HOLLYWOOD PERFORMERS

FIRST TIME IN CANADA

ROYAL ATHLETIC PARK

MONDAY, JULY 11, 8:30 P.M.

TICKETS ON SALE AT

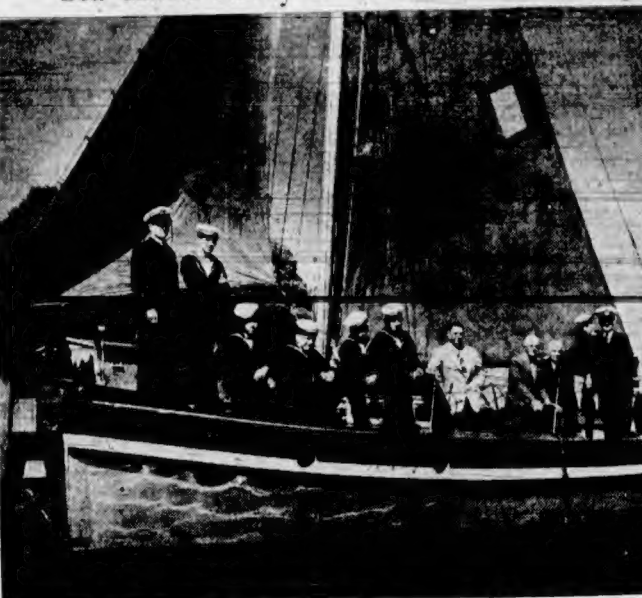
DOUGLAS HOTEL Pandora St. Entrance

DAILY 11:30-5 P.M. 9 1913

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ALL GRANDSTAND SEATS RESERVED

# Sea Cadets Ready for Action on New Sloop



Rainbow Sea Cadets are pictured above with Navy League officials on 32-foot sloop Silver Cloud, loaned to the Island Division of Navy League for Sea Cadets' use, by Montague Bridgman. Cadets will take weekly week-end and day training cruises on craft during Summer while they learn seamanship, sailing, navigation, rigging and swimming. Pictured above, Frank Taylor, boat officer for cadets; Cadets T. Boyle, A. J. Speed, C. W. Logan, W. Harris, R. H. Hunt-

ley; Col. T. Moore, Navy League secretary; Forrest Shaw, Navy League president; Capt. R. H. Lay, head of Navy League cadet committee; Cadet J. Harris; Lieut.-Cmdr. R. P. Kingscot, C.O. Rainbow Cadets; Cadets D. Grey and W. Hudson.

## U.S. Warships Due Today

The destroyer escort U.S.S. Johnny Hutchins will arrive in Esquimalt on a courtesy visit some time today.

Legion as well as Tom Reid, Labor M.P., and probably the mayor of White Rock.

Freighters here soon

The St. Lord Gladly will dock in Victoria soon to load lumber for the United Kingdom. Cecil Ridout of King Bros. shipping agents said yesterday: She is now loading at Cowichan Bay.

The Norwegian ship Abraham Lincoln will dock at the Victoria Machinery Depot wharf over the weekend to unload one of the largest shipments of British cars (74), ever shipped to this port, along with a general cargo.

Excursion Vessels

First of two Union Steamships holiday excursions will arrive in Victoria from Vancouver and White Rock, B.C., on July 15, according to Walter S. Miles, Union Steamship agent here.

The St. Lady Alexandra will dock here at 2:15 p.m. and leave four hours later, he said. It will dock during its short stay at the C.P.R. dock, by the courtesy of that company, he added.

He said Friday's cruise would carry heads of the Surrey Canadian

Yachts Off on Log Race

First of 105 yachts taking part in the predicted log race between Olympia, Washington, and Nanaimo left late yesterday.

Traditionally the first cruiser to arrive off the Nanaimo, skippering the Argway II.

The rest of the yachts will leave at intervals with the speediest craft leaving this morning.

Object of the predicted log race is to arrive at Nanaimo as close as possible to the time the skipper estimates it will take.

Ten of the ships will go as far as Juneau, Alaska, in the longest and most grueling race of its kind in the world. One of the ten will be skippered by George Patten, Victoria, whose cruiser Aileen will fly the banner of the Nanaimo Yacht Club.

All ships are due at Nanaimo by 5 p.m. today.

## The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

ACROSS

- Printer's measure (pl.)
- Popular
- American humorist
- Brim
- Legislative
- Not high
- Butler of arrows
- To bring into
- Negative vote
- Taken
- To boast
- Public vehicle
- Whistle
- To lubricate
- To (eat)
- Under
- Four
- Megrim
- Water harrier
- Colloquial
- Number
- To throw (sweating)
- Proton
- Special
- Success
- To interpret (sarcasm)
- To be fit
- Stimulate
- To look at
- Misalliance
- Rock
- City's name (poetic)
- Always
- Offer
- Body of water
- Place for storage
- Ran easily
- Captain
- Score in baseball
- Interfered
- Criminal
- Performed
- Others
- Carry
- Assistant
- Experiment
- To be smug
- Wings
- Convulsive
- Parties
- Three
- Worm
- Unit of work
- City
- Child

DOWN

- Spelling
- Particulate to the backbone
- Pal
- Man's nickname
- Dislike
- Preparation
- Star-shaped
- Chemical
- To look at
- Female sheep
- To accuse
- Worshiped
- Animal
- To dim
- Capital of Idaho
- Body of water
- Place for storage
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ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Sir John Abbott, the third Prime Minister of Canada, was the first to be born in the Dominion.

DANCE TONIGHT

ROLLER BOWL

Shooting Every Night Except Friday and Saturday

# At the Theatres

PLAZA A desperate fight between a wild stallion and a man, and the stallion victorious in trampling the man to death, is one of the many exciting scenes in Screen Guild's "The Return of Wildfire." Printed in beautiful sepia tones, the film is highlighted with numerous shots of stampeding wild horses.

ATLAS "Whispering Smith," Technicolor Western, now showing at the Atlas Theatre, 60-61 and 62-63, with Brenda Marshall and William Desmond in a hard-riding, fast-shooting treat for

ROYAL If it's laughter you're after, and who isn't these days, don't miss "Mr. Belvedere Goes to College," now 20th Century-Fox comedy, now showing at the Royal Theatre. The most screamingly funny thing to happen on the screen for years and years, it's even more hilarious than last year's "Sitting Pretty," co-starring master of mirth Clifton Webb with Shirley Temple.

## Tides at Victoria

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Western fans. DOMINION "Station West," offers a realistic conflict between an army investigator and outlaws sponsored by an alluring dance hall queen. Dick Powell has another hard-bitten hero role, while Jane Greer plays the exotic woman on the other side of the law.

CAPITOL Samuel S. Hinds' role in M.G.M.'s new suspense drama, "The Brute," marks the veteran actor's 36th film role in 15 years. He made his film debut in 1933. "The Brute" co-stars Ava Gardner and Robert Taylor with Charles Laughton.

## Little Stories for Bedtime

THE END OF THE BEECHNUT FEAST

Good times too soon are the past; Apply 'til they do not last. And yet it is a pity? If they lasted always we wouldn't half appreciate them. And after all a good time is never wholly of the past because always you have the memory of it, and that is something no one can take away from you. The good time while you can. If one good time lasted always there would be no other good times to look forward to.

Of course, the beechnut feast in the Green Forest had to come to an end. With so many sharp-eyed people looking for those sweet, brown, little beechnuts it wasn't a great while before most of them had been found. But while they lasted, the happiest time in all the Green Forest was right under the silver grey beech tree, especially after the first day, when Chatterer the Red Squirrel had made so much unpleasantness. After the first day, Chatterer attended strictly to business. He was smart enough to know that if he would get his share he could waste no more time quarrelling.

At last the little brown nuts were so scarce that they were hardly worth looking for. Buster Bear and Lightfoot the Deer no longer came. They had made the most of their opportunity, and both were much fatter as a result. So were all the numbers of the Gobbler family and of the Grouse family. Now they had scattered in quest of other good things. Chatterer the Red Squirrel had filled several storehouses and really had more beechnuts than he could possibly use. His cousin, Happy Jack, the Grey Squirrel, had stored away plenty against the day of need, and he had buried many more, thinking to dig them up later. Some he undoubtedly would dig up, but a great many he would forget all about. They would remain right where he had buried them until the coming of sweet Mistress Spring, and then from each one would spring up a tiny beech tree. So, though he didn't know it, Happy Jack had been the most useful of all those who had hunted for the little brown nuts. Years later, when those tiny trees had grown to big trees, the little people of the Green Forest of that time will have Happy Jack to thank for the feast they will have each year.

Sammy Jay had eaten until he could eat no more, and had stored away many for future use. Heedless of the Woodpecker's felt very fine and the quite fit to move south when the weather should become too cold for comfort. So the place where the beech trees grew was quite deserted by all save Whitefoot the Wood Mouse. You see, his home is close by and he still hunted for nuts which the others had overlooked, although his storehouse was so full that he had started to fill another. Whitefoot is thrifty. Best of all, nothing had happened to any of the feasters. Reddy Fox and Honey the Owl, Old Man Coyote and Honey the Owl had tried in vain to catch one of these. And so when the good times ended there were no unhappy memories. You see, Reddy Fox and Mrs. Reddy and Old Man Coyote found plenty to eat elsewhere. They didn't go hungry. Oh no! They were simply disappointed, but their disappointment meant that nothing dreadful happened to the other little people. So the beechnut feast was a great success, and because of it many little people of the Green Forest were better prepared for the coming of Jack Frost and rough Brother North Wind.

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## Desert Love Song

By VIDA HURST

CHAPTER II—Continued  
 "You'd go with me," he said, as if there could be no doubt about it. And in spite of the fact that this would delay her marriage, Margie was pleased that at long last he needed her. "I've never had any desire to go to the great open spaces," he added. "I couldn't face it alone."

His handsome face with its high color beneath the thick crown of greying hair was not quite so despondent as it had been when she entered. His blue eyes, so like her

"We'll have fun," she assured him. "I've always wanted to see the desert. How long does the doctor think you should stay?"

"Six months," Margie said cheerfully. "Six months it shall be, then," Barry said enthusiastically. "Six months was too long to postpone their marriage. What was he going to do while she was away?"

Her father had managed without her for years. Why shouldn't he now? It wasn't as if he couldn't get around. He would meet plenty of people in his own bar in Tucson. The hotels would be full of them. Why hadn't Margie told him they were engaged?

Touched by Barry's impatience, she promised to announce their engagement before she left Chicago. Her father need not know that they had planned to be married immediately.

"Six months isn't long," she demurred. "It will give us a chance to know each other as we never could here. I can't refuse the first thing he's asked of me, Barry. Besides, you can come to see me."

"Oh, sure!" Barry said, crossly. "This would happen now. For the first time in my life I really want to settle down and you aren't interested."

"That's not true, darling! I want

to be married just as much as you do. This is only a postponement. I suppose you, of all people, would understand. You were a friend of my father's before you knew I existed. You should be glad I can help him regain his health."

"I doubt if he'll live any differently in Tucson than he does here. To see that he does. If I can't do it in a hotel, I'll take him to the country."

"Not if I know that father-of-yours. He'd rather be dead than bored."

"Maxwell is frightened. That makes a difference. Fortunately, his insurance office can operate without him from relaxing, which the doctor says is essential."

She was disappointed in Barry's attitude. He really considered her unreasonable. He even intimated that she was influenced by the prospect of a gay winter in Arizona rather than her duty to her father. He would be slaving away in his dull old real estate office while she was basking in the sun, flirting with pseudo cowboys.

"That's ridiculous, Barry! I shall be too busy amusing my father to look at any other man. But if you want to be released from our engagement, please feel free to say so."

Barry contended that he wasn't the one who was trying to edge out of it. They were at her home when this discussion took place, so finally, in sheer desperation, Margie put her arms about his neck and kissed him. "Don't let me spoil the three days we have left," she whispered.

His arms closed about her and he kissed her passionately, but she knew she was still annoyed. Two whole days went by with no word from him. The day before they were to leave he telephoned.

CHAPTER III

Barry's voice over the telephone was anxious. "Are you still speaking to me?"

"Whenever I have a chance," Margie retorted. She had been hurt by his neglect but she would have left Chicago without calling him. "I've been sulking," he confessed. "Are you really going to Arizona tomorrow?"

"Yes, we are going by train. The doctor doesn't want my father to fly."

"Will you spend this evening with me, Margie? Or have you made other plans?"

She had but she could cancel them so she replied, "Tonight is yours."

His tone brightened as if he had not expected her to be so generous. "Good," he said. "I'll make reservations at Edgewater Beach."

Although it would be their last

evening together for a long time Margie was happier than she had been since hearing of her father's illness. She dressed carefully in a new black dinner gown, wearing the pearls her father had given her for a graduation gift and the large spray pin and earrings he had added for Christmas and her birthday. Her skin was smooth and white. Her eyes had never looked so blue. Even Max, who was having a "quiet dinner" with the Welches noticed it. "You're looking unusually pretty tonight but I'm afraid you are disappointing Edna."

"I accepted conditionally," Margie reminded him. "Edna said if I couldn't make it her sister would

"You've been seeing a good deal of Barry lately," her father commented with more parental interest than he usually displayed.

"We're engaged," Margie said, deciding he might as well know it, although the would never tell him that his illness had delayed their marriage. The news did not surprise him.

"Barry is a good boy," he granted. "I've known him since he was a youngster and his father before him. You aren't planning to be married soon?"

"Not until we return from Arizona," she assured him.

His sigh of relief did not escape her. Where she was concerned he was absolutely selfish. But she would not admit this even to herself. She was too pleased to see that he really needed her and her loyal young heart responded with a secret vow never to fail him.

She was not thinking of this when she greeted Barry. It seemed so long since they had been together she went into his arms joyfully, lifting her face like a child for his kiss.

"Miss me?" he murmured. "Of course."

"Love me?" "What do you think?" "I think you'd better announce our engagement."

"I can't before Sunday and I won't be here then."

"I shall be here and I want everybody to know it."

As he helped her into her evening wrap she said, "By the way Edna suggested we drop by for cocktails. I was supposed to have dinner with them tonight."

His expression was so dolorous it amused her. "Not tonight. This is our last night. I refuse to ruin it by having to listen to the usual cocktail patter. No, darling, not unless you make an issue of it. I've planned to have our cocktails in the Yacht Bar at the Edgewater Beach."

(To Be Continued)

## According to Culbertson

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A hand in the June issue of The Bridge World magazine points up the necessity for a defender's making a thorough analysis of the situation, rather than a snap judgment.

North, dealer.  
 Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH  
 ♠ A 7 5 2  
 ♥ 9 4  
 ♦ K 8 7 5  
 ♣ A J 10

WEST EAST  
 ♠ Q 10 5  
 ♥ Q 8 3 2  
 ♦ Q 10 4  
 ♣ 7 4 3

SOUTH  
 ♠ K J 9 8 3  
 ♥ 7  
 ♦ A 6 3  
 ♣ K Q 9 8

The bidding:

North East South West

1 club 1 heart 1 spade Pass

2 spades Pass 2 diamonds Pass

3 spades Pass 4 hearts Pass

4 spades Pass 5 spades Pass

Pass Pass

West opened the heart deuce; East

cached the king and played the heart ace. South ruffed, led a spade to the ace and a spade back to the king, and got the bad news that he would have to lose a trump trick.

Obviously, the contract was now in severe jeopardy, since a diamond loser was also inevitable if the defenders played correctly. South, however, gave them the chance to go astray! He cashed the king, queen and ace of clubs—and then threw West in with the trump.

West made a rapid count of South's distribution and concluded that he had started with exactly five spades, one heart and three clubs, hence that he must hold four diamonds. That being so, West returned by West, letting South take a ruff and discard, would do the declarer absolutely no good. So, rather than lead from the diamond queen into the possible ace-king in the closed hand, West exited with a heart. It was not a good idea! South got rid of his losing diamond while he ruffed in dummy.

West's analysis failed to consider one vital point. If East had held four clubs, he certainly should have discarded his last club when West was thrown in with a trump. In the absence of that discard, West definitely should have counted South for the thirteenth club and returned a diamond as the only hope of setting the contract.

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Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "There is a difference in the front room and the rear room."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "pass"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Ratio, embryo, folio.

4. What does the word "crucible" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with "il" that means "uneducated"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "There is a difference between the front room and the rear room."

2. Pronounce pa-sa, first a as in ah, second a as in say, accent second syllable. 3. Embryo. 4. A severe trial or test. "It was the crucible of affliction." 5. Illiterate.



## RIP KIRBY

By Alex Raymond



## BLONDIE

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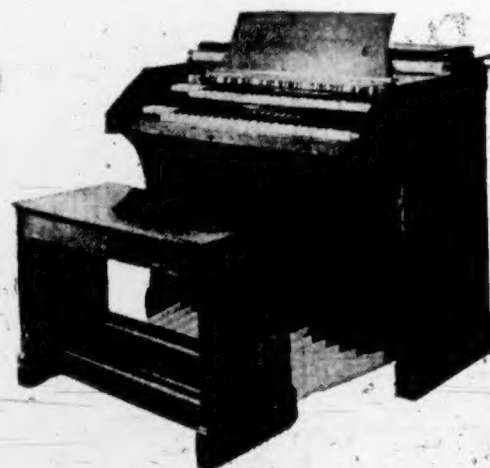
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A delightful 3-story 5-room, 1 1/2-bath with  
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By RITA DEL MAR

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Attractive four-room bungalow containing  
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NOTICE

**DISSOLUTION OF  
PARTNERSHIP**

THE Partnership heretofore composed of C. E. Myland, A. I. Thomas and C. G. Cullen, carrying on business as Real Estate and Insurance Agents, at 574 West B Street, Victoria, B.C., has been dissolved as from this date. The said C. G. Cullen, having disposed of his interest therein.

(Released by the Confidential News Service)  
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are interested in the said deceased, are requested to send in their claims to the undersigned forthwith; and that the said Administrator is empowered by the last-mentioned will to proceed to distribute the assets of the said intestate among the parties who may be entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice.

**AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that pursuant to Section 28 of the "Trustee Act" the said Administrator is hereby made liable for the assets of the said intestate, or any part thereof so distributed, in any person or persons of whose claims and demands he shall not have had notice by reason of his failure to give notice.

City Purchasing Agent  
City Hall, Victoria, B.C.  
Call 715, 1909

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**AUCTIONEERS**

the assets at the expiration of one year after the death of the said deceased.

DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 5th day of July, 1909.

R. E. COX,  
Official Administrator,  
County of Victoria,  
Administrator of the Estate of  
Margaretta Paula Ross  
Augusta Collins deceased:  
219 Central Building,  
Victoria, B.C.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF  
VICTORIA

**SEALED** tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon on Monday, July 18th, 1910, for the purchase of the property of the City Health Department, City Hall, in accordance with specifications which may be obtained from the City Building Inspector's office.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified deposit (cheques usual) 5% of the total amount of tender made payable to the City Treasurer and enclosed in a separate sealed envelope for the City Building Inspector.

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Auction Sale

We have been instructed by Mr. Smith, who has now retired from the antique business, to sell the entire stock, without reserve, of the following:—  
GLASSWARE, CHINA, BRASSWARE, &c.

**Monday, July 11**

**Commencing at 1:30 p.m.**  
**again in the evening at 7:30.**  
**Auction Rooms.**

each contract. Cheques will be returned to unsuccessful bidders within thirty days of the awarding of the contract. The deposit on any tender not necessarily accepted.

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## Beautiful Gardens of Victoria Opened to All Flower Lovers

It's open house in the gardens of Victoria.

Tourists and flower lovers generally, are invited to see first hand just why Victoria has been dubbed "The City of Gardens."

Skilled city growers of gorgeous blooms are co-operating with the Greater Victoria Community Chest and are opening their gardens to visitors. The small admission fee charged is assisting many deserving charities.

Gardens open for inspection and the dates are as follows:

This week flower lovers are particularly invited to the home of J. G. Worth, 273 King George Terrace. The grounds will be open Saturday from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m.

**DATES AND PLACES**

For the week ending July 19

Wednesday, July 13—S. Stephen, 3155 Beach Drive.

Saturday, July 16—Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, 3125 Beach Drive.

For the week ending July 23:

Wednesday, July 20—N. Adkard, 1964 Fairfield Road.

Saturday, July 23—Mrs. David Spencer, 2906 Cook Street.

For week ending July 29:

Wednesday, July 27—Mrs. R. H. Edgell, 3230 Beach Drive.

Friday, July 29—Senat. Barnard, 1462 Rockland Avenue.

All times for visits are from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m.

## Announcements

**Arts Centre of Greater Victoria**

823 Broughton, Katherine McEwen exhibition closes Saturday evening at 9:30. Photographs by Ken McAllister, Victoria, for one week from Tuesday 11 a.m. July 18th. Victor Mott, fashion designer, will speak at official opening Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. A piano recital by Charles Palmer is announced for July 28th 8 p.m. at the home of Miss Sarah Spencer in aid of the Arts Centre, vocal selections by John Bray. Tickets \$1.50 available to members till July 14th then to the public.

**The National Anti-Vivisection Society, Chicago**, is offering a prize of one thousand dollars to any chemist, practicing or student, who desires a non-animal means of testing any one of 83 drugs which are now standardized by vivisection methods. The non-animal test must be acceptable to the Drug and Food Administration of the United States Government. For further information apply to the Canadian Anti-Vivisection Society, Scotland Building.

**The Island Hall, Parkville, V.I.**

B.C. Charming Inn with everything in accommodation, surroundings, and food to make an ideal vacation, and situated right on Island's most perfect wide white sand beach. Frontage on main Island Highway. Reduced rate for holiday of week or longer in September. Special accommodation for family parties. For information re rates and reservations write or phone Mary Sutherland, Elleen Allwood, Co-Managers.

**Arts Centre of Greater Victoria**

823 Broughton. Luncheon musicale, Friday, 12-13 to 1-15. Public is invited to bring lunch and enjoy a program of recordings. Mrs. Ethel Wilson, conductor, has selected compositions by Haydn. The player and recordings are courtesy of Mr. A. Davies of Kent's Ltd. Opportunity to view paintings of Katherine McEwen before and after music. Public 25c, members free.

**A New Shop** we think you would be interested in seeing. Full of the Island's finest handicrafts and gifts. Indeed, treasures for the home! The Wagon Wheel, West Saanich Road, at Prospect Lake Road, less than eight miles from Victoria, en route to the Observatory. Mr. Burnett's Gardens, and Mill Bay Ferry. Open all days and evenings.

**Salvage Collection:** The Salvation Army will pick up from your door salvage of all kinds. Used clothing, shoes, furniture, your rags, household mattresses, carpets, rugs, carton boxes, newspapers, magazines, rendered safe. When you give it to the Army it is to help others. Phone G 7612.

**This Week's Private Garden Visit.**

Garden lover visitors particularly are invited to visit between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. the fine private garden below. The small charge of 25 cents made is donated to the Community Chest of Greater Victoria. Saturday, July 9—Mr. J. G. Worth, 273 King George Terrace.

**Highland Games** this year on July 30, bigger and better than ever. B.C. Championship, also International Championship, open Highland dancing, tug-of-war teams, pipe bands, racing, caber tossing. Eight events. At Macdonald Park.

**Malahat Chai-Open till 9 p.m.**

Daily, except Mondays, for delicious fried chicken and steak dinners, breakfasts and afternoon teas. Notice: Open Monday until 8 p.m. for light lunches.

**Attention, Air Cadets!** No flys today! swim and winner roast. At Theatres Wednesday, July 13, rendezvous at Arena Way, 7 p.m. or at McCauley at 7:05 p.m. Bring 35c and 1 cup. No uniforms.

**Salvage Collection for Oak Bay.**

Shovel Bay and Uplands. We collect rags, paper, household mattresses and all kinds of bottles. Phone E 3413.

**Try Our Personalized Service.**

We make and remodel coats to fit you. All types of fur work done by experts on premises. Victoria Fur, 831 Fort Street, Phone E 8132.

**Prize winning tickets** at St. Saviour's Garden Party were Mrs. Wood, No. 563, pillow slips; Mrs. Dixon, No. 1470, groceries; Mrs. Willis, No. 257, cake.

**Stearns' Hand Tailors**, 741 Fort St. Sport coats, flannel pants, ladies' and gents' alterations. Two medals, four diplomas Cutting Academy of London.

**Factory Authorized Kesson Repair**

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**"Laurel Drive," Mill Bay.**

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**The Old Charming Inn—Oak Bay**

seafront. All bedrooms with private baths. Comfortable suites. Telephone G 0567.

## Early Car Bookings On Ships Advised

PERSONS planning to leave Vancouver Island for Vancouver via Nanaimo have been advised by the C.P.R. passenger agent to make car reservations ahead.

They can be made at the company's Victoria ticket offices. If such reservations are not made, travelers are held up at the Hub City waiting a canceled reservation. Other Island boat services are approaching the same condition, he added.

## Lowest Tender At \$643,583 For Road Work

To construct 5.72 miles of road between Cathedral Grove and Albert the Provincial Government will spend \$643,583. This amount was the lowest of three tenders submitted to the Provincial Works Department, yesterday.

The tender was submitted by Campbell-Bennett Ltd., Vancouver. The reconstruction job will complete the rebuilding of the Alberni highway from Parksville. The eastern section, started last year, was completed recently.

**ADDITIONAL BIDS**

Other bids for the job were submitted by two other Vancouver companies, Maywell Construction Co. Ltd., \$841,343, and General Construction Co. Ltd., \$792,594.

Lowest bid for construction of 6.25 miles of the Southern Trans-Provincial Highway between Creston and Weynndel was submitted by Storms Contracting Co. (Pacific) Ltd., \$408,248. Other bids were submitted by Marwell Construction Co. Ltd., \$443,497; Campbell-Bennett, \$432,427; Dawson, Wade & Co. Ltd., \$455,115; Fred Mann & Co. Ltd., Calgary, \$482,700.

**LOWEST BID**

Lowest bid submitted for the crushing of a supply of gravel in the Prince George area was submitted by the Monarch Construction Co. Ltd., Vancouver, \$22,700, with an alternative of \$29,100. Other tenders were submitted by Williams & Carrothers Ltd., \$37,500 and \$33,000; Wood, Parr & McClellan Ltd., \$36,000 and \$30,900; Wilson Construction Co. Ltd., \$33,900 and \$29,400.

## Fire in Fuel Bin Soon Extinguished

A small sawdust fire in a fuel bin at the McCarter Shingle Co. Ltd., plant, at 2418 Rock Bay Avenue, was extinguished by city firemen shortly after 6 p.m. yesterday.

Credit is given a watchman, who played a hose on the fire until the arrival of firemen, to keeping damage at a minimum. Order of the fire is unknown as yet, firemen reported.

## LOGGING SUPPLIES

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## Three Island Firms Included Among 19 New Regulations

There were three Vancouver Island companies listed among 19 companies registered under the Companies Act at the Legislative Building during the week ended yesterday.

The registrations were: Vancouver Island—Ed Rainald Ltd., \$20,000 authorized capital, and Coast Logging and Equipment Co. Ltd., \$25,000, both of Victoria, and Campbell River Freight Service Ltd., \$40,000, Courtenay.

## Puncture In Gas Tank Causes Fire

A freak accident on the Thelus Lake Road, near Pige Lake, caused a bush fire early yesterday morning, according to British Columbia Police.

A car, driven by Robert Settle, 80 Beach Drive, received a puncture tank when it struck a high rock, police said. The gas leaked from the tank into the hot exhaust pipe and caused a fire, it was explained.

Settle was about two miles from the island highway when the accident occurred. His car, a 1939 sedan, was completely destroyed. Police reported.

## Prospectors Grubstaked By Province

Most of the 95 prospectors being grubstaked by the Provincial Government this year are carrying Geiger counters with them as part of their equipment, mines department officials disclosed yesterday.

Geiger counters are used in the detection of radio-active uranium ore deposits.

The policy established last year of submitting all ore samples sent to the provincial laboratory to a test for radio-activity is being followed again this year in an attempt to encourage the hunt for uranium.

Following discovery of uranium in the Bridge River area last Summer prospectors awarded into the area. Provincial Government authorities are attempting to ensure that all prospectors grubstaked this year have an adequate knowledge of minerals and are capable woodsmen. It is estimated that the Government grubstakes some 95 prospectors each year.

**BAWBURGH, Norfolk, England (CP)**—A man complaining to the local council about inefficient water supplies claimed he has walked 300 miles in the last seven years carrying water in a pail.

## POPULAR DANCE



We have a new selection of the old DECCA Recordings featuring name bands and solo artists.

## Old Favorites for 59c each

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1000—Soldier's Last Letter: Yesterday's Tears—Ernest Tubb.  
1000—Personality: Would You?—Bing Crosby.  
1077—Rock Busters: El Chale—Stan Kenner and His Orchestra.  
2074—Star Heat: Intermars—Guy Lombardo and His Orchestra.  
1470—Swing Music: Always—Glen Gray and the Casa Loma Orchestra.  
258—Sweet Georgia Brown: There Goes My Head—Mills Brothers.

## Tastes Differ

During the Summer it is surprising how many prefer an all-candy assortment rather than chocolate, that is caramels, fudges and brittles. Then there are those who have been asking for milk chocolate go the dipping room is working on a milk chocolate assortment.

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2651—Riders in the Sky: Lullaby Land—Bing Crosby.  
2652—The Dream of Oleson: Portrait of Jeanette—Carmen Cavallaro and His Orchestra.  
2653—Carolina, Carolina: Memories—Bing Crosby.  
2654—While the Angels Were Singing—Guy Lombardo and His Royal Canadians.  
2655—Hurry! Hurry! Hurry! I Didn't Know the Gun Was Loaded—Andrew Sisters.  
2656—Everywhere You Go: How It Lies, How It Lies, How It Lies—Bing Crosby and Evelyn Knight.  
2657—Honey, Beagle Weeds No. 1: New Central Avenue Breakdown—Lionel Hampton and His Orchestra.  
2658—That Wonderful Girl of Mine: I Only Have Eyes for You—Al Jolson.  
2659—Have Your Say: One Sweet Letter From You—Bing Crosby.  
2660—So In Love: How Did I Get Into This—The Andrews Sisters and Ben Chasny.  
2661—Is It True What They Say About Dixie? Down Among the Sheltering Palms—Al Jolson and Mills Brothers.  
2662—Let a Little Be Your Umbrella: Wave Beer—The Andrews Sisters.  
2663—Beyond the Sea (La Mer): Summer Moon—Carmen Cavallaro and His Orchestra.

## 90c each

# Fletchers

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— see you out  
fishing!**

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# Vancouver Island News

From Colonist Correspondents



WINS PORT ALBERNI CHALLENGE TROPHY

Percy Chambers, right, is shown holding trophy emblematic of championship of West Coast Golf and Country Club, Port Alberni. Gordon Sykes, runner-up, is at left. Perpetual trophy was donated by Harry Carter, Alberni.

## Tells Why Game Board Dogs Leave Deer Alone

PARKSVILLE, July 8.—Frank Greenfield, Nanaimo, chief game warden, addressed a recent meeting of the Parksville Fish and Game Association on some of the activities of the Game Department during the past year. He told members that 5,000 fingerlings had been planted at Cameron Lake during the season.

In the course of the annual re-stocking of lakes and rivers. Touching on game birds, he announced that there was a possibility of the season being opened on willow grouse for a short period this year. He said a number of pheasants had been released in the Errington area.

## Teachers Quit At Courtenay

COURTENAY, July 8.—Twenty-four teachers have resigned from the staff of Courtenay School District No. 71. Resignations will be accepted up to July 31.

Those who are leaving the district include:

Cumberland, Miss B. D. Banks, Mrs. V. D. Smith, Miss A. J. Andrews and Miss E. M. Switzer.

Fanny Bay, Miss M. T. MacDonald, Miss Marion Adams.

Courtenay, Miss J. M. Normandin, Miss B. I. Jackson, Miss S. G. Hansen, Mrs. H. C. Fraser and Mrs. F. Anson.

Oyster River, Miss A. M. Bridger and Miss M. J. Stockand.

Comox, I. H. Currie, Miss M. Lane, Miss K. F. Ede and Miss M. T. A. Gallivan.

Bevan, Miss E. Watson and Miss K. McFarlane.

Dennan Island, J. G. McKinnon, Headquarters, Miss M. E. Graham, Tolium, Miss L. A. Roddis.

Dove Creek, Miss L. A. Carwithell.

Also resigning is C. E. Holland, principal of Comox High School.

His place will be taken by J. J. Freney, J. C. Kirk, Courtenay Elementary School teacher, will take over from Miss M. T. A. Gallivan as principal of Comox Elementary School.

## Set Conveners At Ladysmith

LADYSMITH, July 8.—Ladysmith Agricultural Society's Fall Fair in September will again feature smaller units in the display sections, it was decided at a meeting this week. Those named to convene the four sections were: H. Hartley, E. & N. Railway Division; Fred Rumble, Saltair; Donald Wilson, rear District; and Robert Simpson, Diamond District. Committees will be named for the regular sections.

The fair is one of the major annual attractions in Ladysmith. District, and many trophies will be offered for competition. Rev. G. McDermid, secretary, is lining up other awards and prizes.

## Leaves Widow

NANAIMO, July 8.—James Holingworth, a native of England, who operated garage here, held a position on the staff of the Union Oil Company, and worked at H.M.C.S. Dockyard, Esquimalt, died in Nanaimo Hospital Thursday. He was also employed at Yarrows, Ltd., and the V.M.D. during the war. He was a member of the Canadian Legion.

He is survived by his widow, Rosaline, and one stepson, Albert Welch, Nanaimo. Funeral services will be held in the Jenkins Chapel on Saturday afternoon, with Rev. Cannon N. S. Noel officiating.

## Hear Victorian

QUALICUM BEACH, July 8.—At the regular weekly meeting of the Qualicum Beach Rotary Club, an address on the history of the Marmalade & Nanaimo Railway was given by A. J. Cowie, superintendent, Victoria. He also outlined the part played by the railway in the economy of the nation.

## Take on Cargo At Chemainus

CHEMAINUS, July 8.—Vessels which loaded lumber here for the United Kingdom last month included: Lauritz Swenson, Norwegian, 684,000 feet Seaside, British, 422,000; Surra, Norwegian, 1,062,000 feet; Islandside, Canadian, 953,000 feet; Tyland, Canadian, 755,000 feet; Seaboard Star, Canadian, 366,000 feet; Lake Shawanigan, Canadian, 931,000 feet; Agathi, Panama, 360,000 feet; Rivercrest, British, 266,000 feet and Gracia, British, 1,325,000 feet.

Ss. Joseph Carey, United States, loaded 562,000 feet of lumber for the Atlantic Coast; Ss. Rely, British, 4,694,000 feet in Greece; Ss. Elr, Panama, 904 tons of cargo to South Africa, and Ss. Joel Chandler Harris, United States, 441,000 feet of lumber for California. The port shipped 3,377 tons of logs to Pacific Coast destinations, and 7,496 tons of hog fuel to Puget Sound.

## Arrange Funeral

NANAIMO, July 8.—John William Parker, 79, a retired farmer, and a resident of Qualicum Beach for 39 years, died in hospital here Friday. He was born in England. He is survived by his widow, Sarah Ann; three sons, Frank H., John E., and Fred; one daughter, Mrs. J. T. Smyth; 19 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild, all of Qualicum Beach. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Anglican Church at Qualicum with Rev. George Pattison officiating. The Jenkins Chapel, Nanaimo, is in charge of arrangements.

## Opens Law Office

QUALICUM BEACH, June 8.—Victor B. Harrison, Nanaimo barrister and solicitor, announced the opening of a branch office, located on the premises of E. L. Thwaites and Son. Associated with Mr. Harrison is Ronald P. MacIsaac, a graduate in law from the University of Saskatchewan. Mr. Harrison is a native son of Victoria.

## Acquires Truck

NANAIMO, July 8.—Nanaimo has added to its antiquated fire truck, the pride and joy of the city in 1913, sold to Phil Foster, Victoria, a collector of old motor vehicles. Modern fire fighting equipment recently replaced the old truck.

## Weather Forecasts

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Clear with light winds. Little change in temperature. West Coast of Vancouver Island—Clear with light winds. Little change in temperature.

## Former Cook Dies

QUALICUM BEACH, July 8.—George Lash, a Chinese who died recently while en route from Nanaimo to Vancouver, was well known in the district, having been cook at the Qualicum Beach Hotel for many years.

## Men Kill Golden Goose

DUNCAN, July 8.—Joining a union has killed the "Golden Goose" for Public Works employees of North Cowichan Municipality. They have lost their salaried status, and will be placed on hourly wage rates, the municipal council decided. "These men have just killed the goose that laid the golden egg," Maurice Dayman, road superintendent, declared.

## Star Students

CHEMAINUS, July 8.—Malcolm Galloway, a Grade VIII student at Chemainus Elementary School, won the Arbutus Chapter, I.O.E. scholarship, presented by Mrs. William Lloyd, educational secretary, and Mrs. James Webster, regent. Janet Lamont received honorable mention. The boys' scholarship was won by Paul Erickson. Jack Grandon received honorable mention.

## Nanaimo Plans Sports Events

NANAIMO, July 8.—George Wilson was named chairman of Post No. 3, Native Sons of British Columbia, annual Labor Day track and field meet, to be held here on September 5. Henry Reifel will act as secretary.

## Parksville B.C. The Catholic Women's League recently held a most successful whist drive and cribbage tournament at the Parksville Parish Hall and winners of prizes were as follows: Cribbage, Miss C. G. Cheney; whist, Mrs. R. Taylor, Mrs. V. Ferguson, and consolation Mrs. M. Taylor and Mrs. B. Berben-son. Low cribbage was held by Mrs. Whiting.

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